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Queenie Sees a Game of Ball

"Never again," Freck said, as he olimbed on the stool, "Anyhody ever seeing me do it again can take my bankroll."
"What is it this time?" the waiter

asked as he rested against the counter prepared to steal a few minutes of the boss' time.

"Took Queenle to the ball game yes-terday, that's all. Talk about your logs. Queenie's got the diamondstudded belt when it comes to being the original doughhead. I tried to wise her up going out on the car, but it

"'If there's anything you don't grasp about this game wait till you get home, I told her. 'I'll draw you a diagram after the game. Don't show me up by asking a lot of dippy questions in the grandstand." "'All right,' she replied.
"We takes seats in the grandstand

"Tain't nothing like I thought it would be, she pipes. Who is that man way over yonder?"
"That's the center fielder."

"'What does he do?'

"Is there many flies out there

'Sometimes. 'I don't see him catching any.'

Why don't he get busy?'

"'He will soon as the batter knocks one out there.' "'Now, Mr. Smarty, if you think I

came out here to be ridiculed by you, you're mistaken. You can't tell me they can knock a fly that far. Besides that man with the club has to defend himself all the time or that man will hit him with the ball. The rescal threw three times right at his head. If he hits him I just hope that he will take that club and hit him. See there, he just threw another one at him. What does he get if he gets hit with the bail?"
"'A base."
"'What? One of those whitewashed

sofa pillows?"

'Uh huh.' "'They've only got four of them

What do they do when they give those four away? Get some more?' 'Yes'm.' "'Now, smarty, he did hit that poor man: I wouldn't let him hit me for a

leather sofa pillow, let alone one of those cheap ones." "Then I missed three good plays ex-plaining to her that the guy was hit

by a pitched ball and was permitted to

"'Why didn't he run down this way' she asks, pointing to third.

'The other's the closest." "'No, it isn't. Same distance.

"It looks the closest, anyway."

"'What are you whooping about?" "'Ole Beck just stole second.'
"It's still there.'

"All the gang close to me was popping their sides laughing.

Get out, you shrimp, he was safe

a mile.' I yells.

"Who you calling a shrimp?" Queenie butts in.

'The umpire.'

"What did he do?"

"'Called Beckley out."
"Well, Mr. Beckley's big enough to fight his own battles. You needn't be calling the umpire names.'

"'Look out, you bonehead. Kee awake down there,' I whoops.

'Who's asleep?

"The guy on first." "He is not. I just saw him move."
"Can you beat that? Imagine your self trying to explain a double steal, fielder's choice, a sacrifice hit or the squeeze play to that kind of talent. It was funny at first and then it got tiresome. I got sore and left in the sixth inning. Missed the only nobit game ever pitched in Kansas City."

"That was touch luck sure." the waiter said. "I got a new girl and I'm thinking of taking her out. She's never been to a game."
"Well, if you think she's different

from all other women that's a swell way to find out that she ain't." "How did Queenle like the game?"

"O, she thought it was great." 'I'll know more about it the next

"It's a cinch she will if she waits for me take her," Freck said as he slipped off the stool.—Xansas City

Montesim's Burial Place. After having been forgotten for any years the burial place of Montcalm, the French commander of Que bec when it was captured by Wolfe in 1759, has been rediscovered. After the famous buttle in which the commanders of the hostile forces lost their lives Montcalm was buried in a shellorn grave in the Ursuline chapel in Quebec. There was no table to denote the exact spot, and before a generation had passed there was much speculation as to the probable locality of Montcalm's resting place. There still lives in the Ursuline convent, how-ever, a nun who is more than 90 years of age. A few years during her novitiate in the convent were passed under the superiority of La More de St. Ignace, who, as a girl, had herself stood beside the shallow grave into which the remains of the great French gen-eral were lowered. By La Mere de St. Ignace the incident was told, and the exact spot pointed out, more than 70 years ago. Subsequent investigation rough coffin was found formed from he panels of an oaken door, the hur-

pare the body for burtal,

MOTHERS CAN'T RESIST IT.

Baby's Picture on a Pony Gets the Money Every Time.

With a pony as a "property," enterprising photographers have been reaping a harvest. The pony is of the Shetland variety and "calico" in pat tern.

"The fond mother who can withstand the temptation of having darling baby photographed, astride of the pony, has not yet been found," one of the photographers explained. "We get from four to ten orders in each block in well populated neighborhoods. All sorts of subterfuges are used by the women. One of them forced us to 're-heurse' baby on the pony for a half hour before the picture was taken. She wanted some of the pictures on post cards, she said, so she could send copies to friends back east. She wished baby to look natural on the so that the eastern friends would think the family out here had 'struck it rich' and were maintaining a stable of saddlers.

"Another woman who was not satisfled to allow the picture taken with her modest home in the background. asked us to take the picture over in the next block, where there was an unoccupled house of rather preten-tious exterior. We did it and the woman ordered two dozen copies. Bables look so 'cute' on the pony, the women say. Next year we are going to introduce a big, kind-faced Newfoundland dog as a property. Don't be surprised if you receive a picture of somebody's darlingest darling with its chubby hands lost in the wavy hair on the dog's neck. We've got Chauncey Olcott beaten to a whisper in rig-ging up 'cut' scenes."—Kansas City Star.

BY WHEELBARROW IN CHINA.

Two Passengers Go 20 Miles a Day for Ten Cents Each.

Probably more freight and more passengers are transported in China by the wheelbarrow than by any other land method. The wheelbarrow used in China differs from that used in America in the fact that the wheel is set in the center and thus supports practically the entire load, while the sandles are supported in part by a strap or rope over the shoulders of

As a result the coolle in China will transport nearly half a ton on his wheel. Wheelbarrows are much used in the country where the roads are but little developed, and I have heard that passengers sometimes make the entire trip from Shanghai to Peking, a distance of 600 miles, by barrow.

A two-passenger barrow will make about 20 miles a day, and the coolle is content with a pay of about 20 cents a day, or an average of about half a cent a mile for each passenger.

On the level, well-kept streets of the foreign quarters of such cities as Hongkong, Shanghai and Peking the wheelbarrow coolle will struggle along with a load of six or even eight people.

Charity Begins at Home.
In regard to the duties of the clubwoman to her own family a writer in a current periodical says: "The husband and home have the first claim ing a consideration of the proper meeting of domestic demands that sho receives her board, lodging and such other emoluments as are her portion. For, apart from sentimental considerations, marriage is a business arrange ment on a cash basis, and a woman is no more justified in delegating her obpossibly be a qualified substitute, than she would be in undertaking a commerclal position on a salary and then turning over a part of her important work to the office boy while collect ing the pay for full service.".

· Is This True?

A large proportion of the stories in demand at "select" libraries are the reverse of creditable to our views on women. But it is only fair to add that many of the most pronounced of these are written by women. Men seldom write this unwholesome fiction, nor do they read it with avidity. The study of illicit passion appeals most to cer tain feminine temperaments. I am nfraid that cannot be denied.-Arthu Wallace, in "The Crown."

The French Point of Beauty.

A point of beauty always sought by the French in the arrangement of the hair is to present a joil nuque, that is, a pretty nape of the neck. Effects they produce in this respect are wonderful, and are chiefly attained by care in securing a graceful line marked by the hair from ear to ear, and a charming contour which cleves waving of the hair produces.

Male Friendships.

Remarks have been made lately as regards the apparent decline of close personal friendship between men. Per haps something in our busy modern life accounts for our lower note in masculine friendships. Perhaps, too, much that belonged to interchanges between man and man is now pos sible between woman and man, as equals.—London Light.

Contrast in Wills. It, as is stated, the will of the late

duke of Devenshire contains nearly .000 words, it is certainly to rank high among long-winded ten

ord was that of a Streatham gentle ried construction of which is recorded man, proved a few years ago, which by an eye-witness who beloed to pre- consisted of the words: "All for mother, C. T."-Westminster Gazette,

OASES OF CHILE'S DESERT.

They Play a Great Part in Development of Nitrate Bade.

Northern Chile, which is so largely mountain or desert, is generally re-garded as a forbidding wilderness, but here may be found a number of cases, the most conspicuous of which are Pica and Matilia.

It has been found that in various parts of the great Atacama desert the earth underneath the surface layer of sand or salt is sufficiently moist to grow crops, capillary attraction spreading the water through the soil.

The rainless Atacama desert is the

scene of the greatest industry of its kind in the world, yielding enormous quantities of nitrates used to enrich the fields of Europe and the United States. The cases play a very important economic role in the industries of the re-

stuffs for the support of the work-men, alfalfs for the cattle and various fruits, and also serving as tim-ber producers for the nitrate works which require much fuel. There is no part of the world where agriculture is more intensively car-ried on than in these green spots in the Atacama desert.—Zion's Herald.

gion, supplying vegetables and food

WHITE ISLAND.

One of New Zealand Group Always Enveloped in Clouds of Steam.

White island derives its name from appears to be continually enveloped Its area is only 600 acres and its height about 880 feet above sea level.

In form and color it is like a re-posing camel, while its interior, with its gray, weather-beaten, almost per-pendicular cliffs, recalls the Collseum at Rome. Overhanging the southern landing place stands a column of rock closely resembling a sentinel, which has been dedicated to the memory of Capt. Cook. The water of the island is of a pale green hue, and anything The fumes of sulphur are always plainly perceptible.

On a fine moonlight night a wonder ful sight is afforded to anyone who will sit in an open boat in one of the lakes of the island. Covering an area of 50 acres is an immense caldron, hissing and snorting and send ing forth volumes of poisonous steam, while all chances of egress appear to be denied by the steep, silent and gloomy cliffs.—British Australian.

American Coinage.

Ninety per cent. of the coinage by the United States in the fiscal year of 1908 consisted of gold engles, a coin which probably not one in a hundred people sees as often as once a Altogether the coinage of the country comprised 17 different varieties, seven of which were for the Philippine islands in pesos and centa-Mexican government. The number of pennies turned out averaged a little less than one for each inhabitant. The total coinage for continental United States was \$215,714,862. This has been one of the most active years in the history of national minting. Of this amount \$179,238,337 were in gold and \$16,532,477 in silver, or about the ratio of one of silver to 12 of gold.—Wall Street Journal.

Disappearance of the Eland.

Among the rapidly disappearing wild animals is the cland or Cape cik, which is a native of South Africa and one of the largest antelopes, and is especially prized as furnishing the best of all venison. Schemes for servation include a plan for domesticating it and making it perform an important share of the farm work of Cape Colony. The beast is easily captured, thrives under the new condi-tions, and in an experiment in the M'Chekwe district of Mashonsland two eland spans were used for a con siderable time for drawing wagons, proving docile and tractable. Healthy calves were born in captivity. The animal seems to be proof against the common diseases of farm stock, and its flesh is desirable for beef and its hide for leather.

The Queen's Coachman. A queen's coachman is a personag of no small importance. Certainly the coachman to her late majesty, Queen Victoria, had a belitting sense of the dignity and responsibility of his position. On the occasion of the inbiled of 1887 he was asked if he was driving any of the royal and imperial guests at that time quartered in Buckingham palace. "No, sir," was his reply. "I palace. am the queen's coachman; I don't drive the riff-raff."—London Telegraph.

A Carlyle Wedding.
Craigenputtock, where Carlyle's
"Sartor Resartus" was written, has
just been the scene of a notable wedding. The bride was Mary Carlyle of Craigenputtock, a grandniece of Thom-

as Carlyle, a farmer, of Pingle, Dum friesshire, a son of Thomas Carlyle's favorite nephew. Pingle is about four miles from Ecclefechan, Carlyle's birthplace, and this village is the original of the Entuphi of "Sartor

The Pope Got It.

A keen struggle for the possession

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brightening the bamboos, the fountains are bubbling with delight, the
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Teachers Examination for Crawford County will be held in the court house in Grayling, Thursday and Friday, October 15 and 16.

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The North Central States—Areas, relson of the village of Grayling, Crawford county, Michigan, to Jens Michistory, productions, transportation, gage was recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for Crawford county Mich., on the seventh day of March Clity Government.

The South County Government.

The School District.

UNITED STATES HISTORY. tice the sum of one hundred and ten and 05-100 dollars (\$110.05) principal and interest and an attorney fee of ten dollars, as provided for in said mortgage, and no suit or proceedings at law or in equity having been insti-tuted to recover the debt secured by

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WHAT'S THE MATTER WITH DOCTORS!

By H. Edwin Lowis, M. D. For the past five years the dominant features of modern medicine have been doubt pessimism and intolerance. With factions zeal the medical profession has done its laun dry work in the full gaze of an ever-critica and not over-friendly public.

Quarrels with our tools and with each other have been the order of the day. Criticiam, suspicion and accusation have rife, and on every hand have sprung up commercial tendencies that have lowered the dignity and efficiency of our profession. The thirst for money, power and position has possessed us, and under the spell of these danger ous intoxicants too many of us have lost sight of the true nature and obligations of our calling.

With a stupidity that is incomprehensible we have rushed to sit at the feet of every new prophet, no matter how questionable his teaching, and have foolishly aken the time-proved logic of the old. Thus, in many instances, established facts have been discarded for phantom theories—though temporarily, let us hope. The wor ship of the laboratory fetial has caused us to sadly neg lect clinical and bedside observation.

COSTLINESS OF NATION'S WAR SPIRIT.

By U. S. Justice Brewer.

At the close of the civil war we owed about \$3,000,000,000. In the twenty-five or thirty years following that we paid two-thirds of that debt. Since then, although during the last ten years we have had un exampled prosperity, we have not paid a dollar, and we owe to-day, as we did at the end of the Spanish war, \$1,000,000,000.

During the past ten years the appropriations for our army and navy (exclusive of pensions) have aggregated \$1,026,000,000, an excess over the prior ten years of \$1,119,000,000. This is why we have not naid the national debt. Is this nation any better off, with its magnificent fleet of ironclads and its larger army, than it would have been if it had paid its national debt and stood to day as the one great nation on the face of the earth not owing a dollar?

The surplus excess of our military and naval expendi ture for the last ten years would have reclaimed every arid acre within the limits of this country, and would have given us magnificent camile, stretching from the North to the South. Every school in the country has We are all craving for war, and its military commany. we cannot be craving for war and not have war.

I contend that the principles of right and justice are eternal and can be depended on. If we can trust that to see that our dollars are paid. I think we can trust Him to make good His declarations that righteousness will exalt the nation.

WHY WOMEN SEEM FRIVOLOUS.

By Dr. Lester Frank Ward! It often is remarked that women as a rule are more frivolous and trifling than men. Where the only objects with which woman comes in contact are those of the kitchen, the nursery, the drawing room and the wardrobe, how shall she be expected to have broad ideas of life, the world and the universe? Her ideas are perfectly natural and legitimate. She has seen and handled culinary utensils china and allverware, and she has an idea of them. In the absence of other ideas she will think about them, talk about them, have her whole mind absorbed with them. The mind must act, and this is all the material it

has to act ppop. It is the same of dress. Her soul is engrossed in dress, since it is her most important object of experience If you wish to make her forsake it you must give het omething, else to think of. Give woman an interest in great subjects and she soon will abandon small ones. If she knew as much about the great men of history or o her own age as she does about her neighbors she would cease to talk about the latter and talk about the former Teach her science, philosophy, law, politics, and you will do much to put an end to gossip, slander and fashlon wor

BEWARE OF APPLAUSE OF THE CROWD.

By President Butler of Columbia. A most persistent enemy of sound stand ards is the tendency to delight in the ap plause of the crowd and in the accisim of the unthinking, the immature and the ill informed. More than one leader of men. past and present, has been led astray by the strong tempiation which this tendency offers Sometimes one almost feels that the noisiest policy passes for the best, and that

that which is at the moment the most popular is general ly held to be the wisest. This confusion is the danger to which democracy is exposed. What men want often contradicts what nien ought to have, and to bring the two into harmony is the supreme task alike of edu cation and statesmanship.

Not the clamor of the crowd, however angry or how ever emphatic, but what Sir Thomas Browne quaintly called "the judgment of the judicious," is the true stand ard of merit. To it we must constantly and hopefully and resolutely repair. We should never for any reason be tempted or enjoled or frightened into deserting it.

GRANDMOTHER.

Oh! when a grandmother is sweet How very sweet she is! Three generations blending meet: A triple grace in this; For all we feel and all we know, She too has felt and known, And to the heights where we must grow She long ago has grown.

Mothers are levely, dear, and good As ever good can be; And yet it seems they never could Be quite as quick as she To find the good and miss the ill In all the children do: But then, perhaps, at last they will

When they're grandmothers Comparisons how can we make, Since equal love we give To each?—for either's darling sake We'd gladly die or live.

Yet one sweet truth is very clear And by it we will stand Mothers are lovely, good, and dear But grandmothers are "Grand"! Sunday Magazine.



want to marry my daugh ter?" said the banker, eying the young "I do. sir."

Do you love her?" "More than life." was the emphatic

The hanker thought for a while "Let us see," he finally said. "What are your prospects? You are noor, but come of a good family. You have in telligence, honesty and ambition; and you are now working at a salary of fifteen dollars per week as assistant to Mr. Stewart, the cashler. How can von expect to support a woman who has been used to luxury all her life on

a sum so small?" "I didn't think of marrying at once sir. I would work hard, and he willing to a better position in the bank."

"And do you suppose a girl like Gladys would engage herself to you, and walt years for a husband, while there are plenty of eligible young men you are advanced as rapidly as possiamong her acquaintances?"

The rich man spoke mildly, but War ren Lewis detected a sneer in his tone. He hastily arose.

"I certainly do. I may as well tell you now that Glades will marry Lewis, and let us hear no more of this presumptuous nonsense

Warren west back to his desk, un-ered, aggregating over two hundred happy and disappointed. He was sure thousand dollars, and the folly of atthat Gladys loved him, and Mr. Wilson tempting to deny his thefts in the face had always treated him so cordially of the evidence appealed to the cashler when he called at his house that he so corently that he made a full confes-hoped no objections would be offered sion. Speculation had proved his ruin. to his suit. But now all was suddenly

changed. Still he determined to see day a run on the bank began. There that her father wanted her to marry Mr. Stewart.

He called on her that evening, and beart. "Gladys, do you know that your

father wishes you to marry Mr. Stewart?" he asked. She colored and looked confused.

'Yes," she answered. "But you don't intend to him?"

"Yes," she said again. "The matter was settled by my father long ago." For a moment Warren could admitted the fact, and he was compelled to believe it.

whom honor is placed above every oth- no longer object to your attentions consideration. He despised any thing like deception, and a wave of

"Well," he said, "I suppose I am not he first man who has been fooled by a deceitful woman. I am glad I have liscovered the fact, though how you expected to profit by such conduct I can't imagine. A woman who so fa forgets her womanliness as to trifle with a man who loves her is not worthy of his thoughts. I wish you good-evening, Miss Wilson."

As Warren turned away the gir do so he had gone.

in his room struggled hard with his grief. When he returned to his duties at the bank on the following morning. perond a slight pallor, there was no ontward indication of the ordeal he had passed through during the night.

But it was a severe blow to the oung man, none the less. He had loved Miss Wilson almost from the first day he had met her, yet realizing the social gap between them, would never umed to address her had sh not given him unmistakable encourage After that he trusted her in plicitly, and the discovery of her du-

plicity was overwhelming. He was destined to have two mor surprises within the next few days. The first came in the shape of a gram announcing the death of a near relative who had left him a large tune. The bank president congratulated him on his good luck, and remarked that be supposed Warren would not care to remain longer in the

position he now held "I do though " said the voung man "The change in my fortune will make no difference in that line. I desire to get a thorough training in the banking business, and shall go on just as if nothing had occurred to place me above the need of working—that is, if you

care to have me stay.' "Most assuredly I care," said the anker, heartly. "I'll see to it that banker, heartlly.

So Warren remained at his desk, and no one would suppose that he was a rich man.

The second surprise occurred on morning when Mr. Stewart was arrested for misappropriating the funds of Stewart. He is the man I have picked the bank. The State bank examiner out for her, and they think a good deal had visited the institution on the pre of each other. So return to your work, ceding day, and the arrest of the cash ler was the result.

Many faire entries had been discov-

The news soon got out, and the next rible time."

Gladys, and ask her if she was aware was a hasty meeting of the directors. who contributed all the cash they could command to save the honor of the institution, but it was apparent that this came at once to the subject nearest his would not preclude the necessity of

Then Warren came to the rescue. can raise seventy-five thousand dollars in three hours," he said to Pres-"I'll gladly lend it to the bank if it will be of any service."

"It will save us from ruin, my young friend," said Mr. Wilson, grasping his hand. "And now, in justice, let me tell you something. What Gladys said to you the other night I speak. That the girl he loved and am responsible for. I represented you could have deceived him was as a fortune hunter, and commanded hard for him to credit, yet she herself her to give you up. She has always obeyed me, and she did not refuse to do so this time, though she now lies ill as a result. Come and see her. I my daughter, for you have proved

urself in all ways worthy of her." When Warren reached the banker's that evening he found Gladys much improved, a direct result of her father's withdrawal of his objections to her lover's suit; and the knowledge treacherous woman she appeared to be repaid the young man for all he had

suffered. Warren's money saved the bank. When the panic-stricken denositors found their claims paid as promptly as made a step forward and appeared to their books were presented they re-be about to speak; but before she could covered from their fright, and many put their money back again, using their

Warren now has a position in the bank second only to Mr. Wilson himself and Glades has been his wife for pore than a year.-Pennsylvania Grit.

England Has Profitable Acres.

The possibilities of profitable gardening in England are exemplified by an acre of land cultivated on the French ystem of intensive culture, which in the last completed year is said to have yielded £625 in gross returns,

This probably constitutes a record for England, the nearest approach known to the writer being an acre of the property of a seedsman on the Great Western line between London and Oxford, which has yielded in one year flower seeds to the value of

In Samos £60 to £80 is the average yield an acre of land planted in cocoa; in Georgia 480 worth of eggplants have been picked from a single acre, and pineapple farms in the West Indies often pay as much as £100 an acre.

Such yields as these, however, are trivial compared with that of an acre of vineyard in the Moselle wine-grow ing distict which was sold a few years ago for nearly £24,000, and which produces a crop worth £2,500; or with that acre of land in Thibet on which grows the sacred "tree of a thousand images," the leaves of which yield an annual revenue exceeding £3,000 --Westminster Gazette.

Formidable Words.

"I suppose," said the friend, "that the letter of acceptance with which you raise the party standard represents a great consumption of midnight oil.

"Look here, my friend," answered to cautious candidate; "talk about the cautious candidate: electricity or gas as much as you like, but please don't mention 'standard' and "-Washington Star.

When women attend a party, on the way home they have quite a little criticlam to offer, even if they had a good

Some men are always having a "tex



WORSHIP AND ITS WORTH. Bon of man, stand on thy feet, and

will speak unto tace.—Ezek. 2:1. The measure of the worth of any worship must be in the increasing the worshiper. If we would glorify the Creator, the best way wil be by making His creation more glo God is not made more by mak ing man less. True religion in way will inspire and lead med to larger

living. We have had enough of the religion that thought of man as utterly de prayed, that chose to describe him as vile worm of the dust, and that expressed its highest wish in the prayer. O, to be nothing, nothing." Man was made to be something, and religion is to help him to be something greater, nobler, fairer than he ever has

When a man has told the Almights that he is only a vile worm of the dust, his gratuitous information has branded him as a hypocrite, for while he may have accurately described himself, he would be the first to resent our acceptance of his own estimate, while at the same time he has no right to utter such a libel on the race.

Worship is a reaching up toward the worth while, that which is worthy and inspiring. Every endeavor for better, purer, larger and more ideal living is an act of worship. Every prostration in the dust, save in sincere con fession of past inliure and with speedy rising to new endeavor. is an offense against the love that has destined un

The divine call to man is to stand up and strive for the highest levels of life. Make the most of yourself, fo manhood has been given that we might make it mean yet more. The godly life is the life that grows in goodliness, in godliness. The reality of the sense of the infinite may be measured by the carnestness of our endeav or to attain to the beauty of that life

No man ever strives after such fut life without realizing how it both necessitates and develops the spirit of humility, how, as one seeks after fairer living, all the foulness and unwortnincss stands revealed. Yet we have to learn to leave these things behind, to cast off the old garments of weakness and wandering, and put on new glory day by day.

Because man is the son of the Most High he is not afraid of his Father's face, and he never has found anything too high for him. He is most like his Father as he reaches out after the life that is great and good and noble. To children of the Most High are known everywhere as those who seek the high est life.

It is the spirit of God that make men aspire. Think no glory of char acter too great for you. Look on life as simply heaven's way of setting the upward path before us, look on its every discipline as a call to true wor ship, to endeavor to be worthier, to climb somehow nearer to the face of the infinite goodness.

I would rather trust the honor the man who is conscious of being an erect animal than that of the one who interprets his religion in terms of selfabnegation; the latter is liable to live up to his own specifications. If we would have men upright in their ways we must aid them to be upright in their worship. This world needs men who will stand

up on their feet; who are not afraid & being individuals, who can be counted and who can be counted on. That was the glory of that goodly life lived long ago in Judea and Galllee; it counted as an individual life. It was a life to deed. that stood up and has cried to all our lives ever since, "Stand up, look up,

Men have seen the divine in that life because it lifted itself toward the divine. It has become worthy of wor ship because it constantly worshiped by becoming more worthy. It has lifted lives because it has gone on rising to higher levels. So if any life would truly worship, it must realize its own diguity, it sown glorious destiny, and standing unright, strive out and up for fullness of living.

PRESENT DAY MATERIALISM By Rev. George Clarke Peck, D. D.

Is not the life more than ment?-

Matthew vl., 23, Time was when a trans-Atlantic trip made the event of a lifetime. People prepared for it with all but fasting and prayer. When an outgoing pass went up the gangplank his friends had good reason to fear and his enemie just ground for hoping that he would never return to his untive shore

But in our day all is changed. An cean voyage now, instead of being au epoch in life, is scarcely an event. Travelers count their voyages as a comme clal man might reckon his trips to Boston. One's chief anxiety nowadays is concerning the size and location of his stateroom and the excellence of the chef. Few ocean travelers wake in the morning with a sort of wonder at being

will be better than yesterday's. Nevertheless, the voyage itself is the real thing. What matters anything or everything else as compared with the safety of the voyage? Who cared afterward that the saloon was luxurious and the cuisine excellent when the ill-fated It needs only the jar and shudder of steel to declare that the voyage itself is the real thing. Nothing really counts as against that. The stewards may gather the tips, but the crew de-

alive so far from abore, but rather

speculating as to whether the coffee

So in life, the voyage ought to be the port at length. Yet what preponderance do not really matter twenty-four hours | Methodist, Aurora, Ill.

serve them.

afterward. What we shall est, what ee shall drink and wherewithal we shall be clothed. These are the considerations that rouse us. It might almost be said that we gauge the values of life in terms of the atomach.

"What do I think of your cities? sa'd a much-traveled man in my pres ence. "I do not think of them. I care nothing about them. I do not want to see your famous buildings or your historic sights. If you can recommend me to a luxurious hotel I shall call your city good and remember it with pleas It is not sentiment, but beefsteak that counts with me. Not twenty iours later I heard a prominent Ameri can just so describe his visit to Nurem ourg. He went into rapturous reminis cences over that portion of his trip. Yet the object of his rasture was not the historic walls of the city nor its great chapters of action, nor the shrine of its famous church, but rather a litthe restaurant where he procured the eet sausage and beer he had ever tast

Indeed, he might have forgotten wirch altogether save that it serv ed to localize the place where he bought the sausage and beer. "Is not the life more than meat?" It would not seem m: not much more at any rate. At least, it is difficult to raise life above that level.

Such is the condition we are set to fight. 'Not in the interest of asceticism, but of manhood, with a generou thought for every creature comfort, but with supreme concern for character we may need to ask ourselves, very frequently: "Is not the life much more than ment?"

Then how much more? Life without definite port at the end; life unthrill ed and unfed by the Father; life un sanctified, however sleck, is the verlest fallure.

SHORT METER SERMONS.

Loving is simply life giving. Worry is half of weariness. Filling time is crippling character. Paradise is not found by fleeing from

The hypocrite is only the chronic iving liar.

Sermons cannot take the place o ympathy. Nothing is sacred without some sac

lficial service. Experience is the best interpreter of iny theology.

The breadth of your prayer deter nines its reach. It takes more than a loathing of bell

o lead to beaven. There is no faith without some feel ng for our fellows.

Faith is not a balancing pole for the man on the fence. A great sorrow may be the fitting for some great service.

The clinkers always take credit for the full head of steam. You never will find good in a boy by

the detective method. Nothing heals our own wounds quick than helping others.

Refuse another's burden and you me your own blessing. Mer who are doing a big business

ever need a "busy" sign. There is not a good life which does ot flud living a glad thing.

Paralysis of conscience is often misken for the peace of God. Rearing your cross does not relieve

ron from paying your taxes Nothing impoverishes a good deed micker than thinking of its profit. This world never agrees with the man who tries to swallow it whole, You cannot improve your view of caven by climbing on your brother's

Unck. The suddest people in this world are those who are always fleeling from sor

A rabid defense of creed is often no companied by a remarkable indifference

It's the little happinesses we sow that give us the harvest of perpetual The favorite circus in the average

church is that of whipping the devil around the stump. The man who brags of his self-re

ect is often paying his respects to a mighty small object. Our own sins grow fast behind our

neke while we are gazing at the faults of our neighbors. It's a poor faith that values its creed

by its virulent power to burt the sheep of some other fold.

The people who are too lazy to run in the race always get up a perspiration over the way the prizes go.

DON'TS FOR CHURCHMEN. Don't think always to find happine

n pleasure. Don't measure greatness by respon high appeal. Don't wait for popular appreciation

you would lead men. Don't dream of the new heaven to cake the clean earth. Don't paint the pump when you

should purify the water. Don't apologize for your religion when apology should attach to your self.

Don't make strong assertions on un certainties lest you weaken your state erts. Don't fatten on the adversities of

others lest you feed your own eternal alversity. Don't pack your faith in ice depend ing on religious enthusiasm some time

o thaw it out. Don't sneer at enthusiasm lest yo Bourgogne lurched to her frightful convince others that you are beyond the end line of any great usefulness,

Whether the church shall stay in the world depends not on whether the world will support it, but on whether it will serre the world and save it.

Came of Doubl. paramount concern. The real haviness | Eack of proper knowledge of and of manhood and womanhood is to make fulth in God's word is still the cause of much heavy heartedness and per of emphasis we put upon things which plexing doubt. - Hev. F. T. Enderla,



The world admires a good fighter and

cheerful loser. Did you know that turpentine applied ightly with a brush on floors and walls of closets will destroy moths?

If you buy seeds from the groceryman make him swear that they are not left over from last year's stock.

The farm wives of America have done more toward paying the national debt than all the other women put to enther.

Push the lambs along as fast as you The sooner you get them to mar ket the more money there will be in

It is estimated that the honey pro

duced in the United States last would load a string of freight cars from Chicago to New York. A New Jersey farmer says that chop-

ping wood will be made easier and with better progress if the cutting is done mostly with the inside corner of the ax. Next time you paper the house scrap every particle of loose naper from the walls first, then cover with a thin cont-

ing of glue water before putting on the new paper. Hens and chickens like alfalfa. It rust, as usual, be elipped several times first year. To prevent it being dug up cover with a lattice, through which it is picked by the fowls.

Animals of vicious habits should never be used for breeding purposes, as vices are transmitted. By careful breeding in this respect the disposition of the animals can be positively controlled.

Myoming experiments in preserving fence posts show that when the posts were dipped in crude petroleum and burned off so that the charred portions come above the ground when set they will keep indefinitely.

to market last fall resulted in a great depression in the mutton market, and sheep and lamb feeders have been greatly discouraged. However, bust ness in both lines is rapidly improving Some folks use their fireless has

The tremendous rush of unfit hogo

cooker in which to raise bread and find it works to perfection, as it keeps the dough at exactly the right temper ature. Of course first warm the nests by placing kettles of boiling water in We can starve a cow into eating most

any old thing on the place, but, like the Irishman's horse, whose owner fed him shavings and put green spectacle on him to make him believe it was grass, she is likely to die as soon as she gets used to it. If you have had any contagious dis-

ease in the house follow the directions of your physician implicitly in the matter of fumigating the room after the patient has been removed. It is generally cheaper to destroy all bed clothe and clothes worn by the sick one than to run the risk of another outbreak of An even and tractable disposition in

horse is often spolled by improper handling and training, as is often the case with the strong willed and wide awake boy or girl. The very qualities which make the child or horse most soful and valuable if properly trainer make them the more difficult to manage if they are not properly handled in the enriy stages.

There is a type of folks that are as tender hearted as can be in their re lations to and treatment of dumb sai mals who are seemingly calloused when it comes to hurting the feelings of their own folks or circulating a false report which may besmirch the good name of a neighbor or acquaintance The first named trait is a most commendable one, but should not be di vorced from the higher type of benev

While having a seemingly hard and tough bark, trees, especially the fruit bearing kind, are exceedingly susceptible to damage by fire. This is due to the fact that the life layer of the tree the light vellow combine layer, is just beneath the outside bark and, be ing so near the surface, is easily affected by an extreme of heat. One learns the truth of this to his sorrow at times when a fire gets away from him when burning litter in the garden or when a fire is accidentally started in the grass in the orchard.

Warning to Fruit Canners. According to Presiding Justice Wyntt of the court of special sessions, New York City, future offenders against the law in relation to using sulphuric acid to preserve fruits will receive prison In neither case did the excessive applisentences upon conviction instead of fines as heretofore. This decision is a result of several conferences between the justice and Health Commissione Darlington.

Inspectors of the health department have found recently that many persons put the acid in preserves and jellies, and those who have been arrested were fined from \$15 to \$25 and warned not to do it again. The warnings have not had the desired effect, however, hence the warning that prison sentences will be imposed hereafter.

Extended experiments recently conducted in Germany have shown clearly the next meason. This cannot be made that fight trees suffer materially, and swithout abundant moleture.

Sirans and Fratt Trees

are often killed outright, when grand is allowed to seem is allowed to grow under the tree and close up to the trunk. Various probable easons for this effect, such as the re moval of plant food and of water by the grass, also the supposed liberation of carbonic acid, which might prove injurious to the roots of the trees, have been demonstrated to be outside the primary cause of injury. After seven vester work it was concluded by an experimentor that the injurious effect could be due only to some poisonous substance formed in the soil by the roots of the grass. It is a well known fact that in many instances considerable difficulty is experienced in obtaining growth of grass under trees.

Regovering the Buttermilk. A line of investigation with reference

to recovering the buttermilk that had been lost in the large creamery was undertaken by the Kansas experiment station, and sor me very valuable results have been obtained. Buttermilk to the extent of several million dollars has een dumped into the streams of the State of Kangas every year. By ing this buttermilk and turning it into food product the feeding value of buttermilk can be fully recovered Feeding experiments were begun along poultry lines, and later with cows. In both cases the casein has proved to be a very profitable feed. It has been esmated that it is worth approximately 7 cents per pound as feed for chickens, and worth about 5 cents per pound as feed for cows. This casein can be pro duced for the creamery man as well as

Preventing Hog Cholers. Professor Sackett and Doctor Glover

now the case.

the feeder, and by this means butter-

milk is recovered and not lost, as is

the Colorado Agricultural College

attended the hog cholera meeting at Ames, Iowa, the last of July. At this meeting were representatives from the experiment stations of a large number of States. These experts met there at the solicitation of the chief of the United States bureau of animal industry. The government experts have orked out a serum which will prevent hog cholera. It is predicted that there will be such a demand for this serum that the government will not be able to supply all the States, as it has done with Black-leg Vaccine and Tuberculin. It is expected that each State will manufacture its own hog cholera serm, and it was in order to give complete instructions in the details of making this serum that the experts of the different States were invited to visit the government station at Ames, Iowa. It is hoped by station officials that arrangements may be made so that this serum may be produced for distribution throughout Colorado. It will probably be at least two months before much can be effected along this line.

The Strawberry Raspberry. The strawberry raspherry is not one of Burbank's productions; it is not new; it is not a valuable fruit, and instend of being a cross between the strawberry and the raspberry it is a distinct species. This species has been grown in America in a limited way for

great many years, and was reintroduced from Japan, where it is native, about twenty years ago. It was quite widely disseminated a few years later, but it has never developed any commercial importance. The plants are attractive in an ornamental way, as they make a dense mass of foliage, and flowers are produced

crumble, and they are dry, seedy and insinid. The plants are unusually unproductive, their fruit-bearing habit resembling the wild thimble berry of the foothills, and as a commercial sort they

through a long period. The berries are

large, red in color, and quite apt to

It is usually the safest plan to test welties in a small way at first. In Colorado, in particular, except for loal market, the trade demands large quantities of well known, staple kinds. All these varieties will no doubt be displaced by better ones, but such things take place slowly.—W. Paddock, Colorado Agricultural College.

Sait for Asparagus, Every now and then the old question rops up as to the advisability of heavy applications of common sait for asparagus. This question has been quite definitely settled in the negative, it was thought, long since; but the claim (and practice) seems still to persist. Something over a year ago, Professor E. Walker of the Arkansas Experiment Station appounced that he had found a distinct benefit to accrue from the nee of heavy doses of solt on small garden plats of asparagus presumably

planted broadcast-a benefit which ha

seemed to think could be but inade-

quately accounted for by the destruc-

tion by the salt of the weeds in the bed. Some years since experiments at the Georgia station on half an acre indicated a benefit, too, under heavy applications of salt, but there was sufficient difference to pay for the salt, nor was the increase under sait equal to that with kainlt, where even hate the quantity of the latter was used. cations pay.

It is possible that the increased bene-

fit from large doses of salt on garden beds of asparagus, for which Walker effect of the salt in attracting moisture. thus keeping up a continual development of the plant thronghout the sumnier days. Asparagus is a commodity that must be fertilized a venr shead for results. In other words, the development of the present rear's rost system, or "stool," limits the espacity of the stool to push up robust and vigrous shoots the following spring. Hence a strong and vigorous summer grawth insures a corresponding yield

1435-Treaty of Arras concluded between the King of France and the Duke of

1560-Henry IV. defeated the Leaguers at Arques.

1600-Hudson, the explorer, reached the present site of the city of Albany. 1655-Fort Casimir, the Swedish settle ment on the Delaware, surrendered to the Dutch forces under Gov. Stuy

1675-Duchesneau appointed Intendent of New France.

1602-Two men and seven women executed at Salem for witchcraft.

1705-Jacques Francols de Brouillon, governor of Acadia, died at sea. 1759-The French surrendered Quebec

to the English 1772-First dismemberment of Poland. 1776-British made an unsuccessful attack on the Americans on Harles

1777-American force under Wayne defeated by the British under Gen. Grey....Washington and his army crossed the Schuylkill, deterarmy crossed the Schuylkill, deter-mined to give battle to Gen. Howe's

troops. 1788-The Oneida Indians ceded all their lands to the State of New York 1702-France declared a republic ... The President issued a proclamation or dering all persons to submit to the

excise law. 1800—The Concordat between Bona-parte and the Pope ratified.

1804 The rice crop of South Caroling completely destroyed by a great hur ricane....Mr. Dearborn, son of the Secretary of War, left for Algiers with presents for the ruler of that

1814. The British ship Forth destroyed the American brig Regent....United States troops defeated the English in battle at Fort Bowyer.

1822-Moses Rogers, captain of the Srst steam vessel to cross the Atlantic, dled at Cheraw, S. C. Born in New London, Conn., in 1780.

1820-Slavery abolished in Mexico. 1833—The boundary line between New

York and New Jersey settled. 1845-Americans defeated the Mexicans at battle of Monterey.

1862-United States troops defeated the Indians at battle of Wood Lake. 1803-President Lincoln suspended the

habeas corpus act. 1864-John C. Fremont withdrew candidate for President of the United States....The Federal forces were victorious in the battle at Opequan, Va...A McClellan meeting in the Lindell hotel, St. Louis, broken up by

party of Union soldiers. 1868-Outbreak of the Spanish revolution...Licut. Beecher and Dr. Moore killed in hattle with Indians

pear the Republican river. 1871-Lincoln's body was removed to its final resting place at Springfield, Ill. 1881-Body of President Garfield lay in

state in the capitol at Washington 1899...Arabi Pasha, the leader of the military insurrection in Egypt, sur-rendered after his defeat at Tel-el-

1884-A party of several hundred Canadian boatmen left Quebec to take part in the Nile expedition for the relief of Gen. Gordon . . . Earthquake shocks vere felt in Michigan, Ohio and In-

1887-The centenary of the constitution of the United States was celebrated in Philadelphia.

1803-The Earl of Aberdeen assumed office as governor general of Canada. 1807—Five men accused of burglary lynched at Versailles, Ind.

1808-Statue of Samuel de Champlain unveiled at Quebec by Lord Aberdeer 1900-Much destruction caused by beavy rains in Texas.

1901-The Duke and Duchess of Corp. wall and York welcomed in Montreal.

The funeral of President McKin-

was held at Canton, Ohio. 1909-Marie Honriette Queen of the Rel-

gians, died, aged 66 years. 1000 Fatal race piote in Atlanta Ca. Rock Island, train plunged into the Cimarron river in Oklahoma and a number of lives were less... Secre-tary of War Taft and Acting Sec-retary of State Bacon left Washington for Cuba.

1907-Explosion on a Japanese battleship killed thirty-four officers and men... The new treaty between France and Canada was signed at

NUBBINS OF NEWS.

The Pheips granite bank building at Binghamton, N. Y., was damaged to the extent of \$75,000 by fire.

Minority stockholders filed a petition in Louis asking that a receiver be appointed for the State Trust Company, real estate firm capitalized at \$1,000,000 Italians of Coney Island are mourning the ceath of the Rev. Joseph Bradley Catholic priest, at the resort. The pries had built up a large congregation, the first church building being a transformed

The White Star line has decided to re same its cargo service between New York and Liverpool, England, which was withdrawn recently owing to the slackness

Col. Christopher Ellerbe, one of the leading members of the St. Louis and a brother-in-law of ex-Gov. David R. Francis, died at his home in Ferguson, a suburb of St. Louis.

A unique race of volunteer life-saving A unique race of volunteer life-saving crews of two men, involving a pull of clams along Grand river, between Lamont thirteen miles from New York battery, and Grand Haven, and the industry has followed by a plunge into the sea, was become an important one. Thousands of the New York banker, visited him respectively as South Norwalk (Conn.) craw dollars worth of clams are magnet in maning tor the New York banker, visited him respectively. He died at the Bikur Choling the new York banker, visited him respectively. If died at the Bikur Choling the New York banker, visited him respectively. If died at the Bikur Choling the New York banker, visited him respectively. in 1:45:00.

LIVES OF 110 LOST IN ALASKAN SHIPWRECK

Star of Bengal Is Broken to Pieces en the Shere of Coronation Island.

RESCUERS SAVE 27 PEOPLE.

Two of Crew Reach Land and Make Vain Effort to Operate Life Line.

One hundred and ten out of a total of 187 persons aboard the cannery ship Star of Bengal were drowned last Sunday afternoon when the vesse lwas torn from the hold of protecting tugs and dashed ashore at Heim Point, off the Alaskan coast, at the southeast end of Coronation Island.

The news was brought to Wrangel by the tug Hattle Gage, Captain Farrer which carried the survivors, twenty seven in all. The survivors before leav ing Coronation Island, burled the bodies of tifteen white men on the

The cable ship Burnside, which left for the scene of the wreck at midnight Monday, as soon as the news of the wteck was received, returned the following evening with the information that the Star of Bengal was a total loss, only the ends of the musts show ing above water.

Cast Ashore in Driving Rain.

The ship was being towed to sea from the Wrangel cannery by the tugs Hattle Gage and Kayak. Captain Farrer of the Hattle Gage gives the following account of the disaster:

"As we came within reach of the gale we could see we were making lecway and drifting toward Coronation Island. The Kayak was light and could do nothing. The Hattle Gage could not handle the ship alone. At 4 o ck the Star of Bengal drifted into a narrow bight and we could see land on both sides abreast. We sounded and found eight futhoms.

"We could see the vessel dimly by the phosphorous dark rocks that were all around. We cut the towline and steamed out into open water, but could not see anything in the driving rain except one blue light burning on the The storm increased and the ship. tugs steamed to Shipley Bny, twentysix miles away."

Survivors Tell of Struggle.

Survivors Muir and Olson said the ship sank about 9 o'c ock after breaking into three pieces. The surf was full of salmon cases and gasoline

Muir says he and Olson got a boat off and went ashore through the wreckage. They belped several ashore and pulled Captain Wagner out of the wreckage. He could not speak. The breeches buoy was rigged to a tree, but the ship was swaying so that the line was alternately loose and tight, making its use impossible.

The ship's books and papers were found on the beach. One man matches and a fire was built with kerosene from the wreck. The fire saved the lives of the survivors, as it kept them from freezing.

TRADE AND INDUSTRY.

Minneapolis health officers have con fiscated a large quantity of milk from local dealers, claiming it was not in fit condition for food. La Crosse, Wis. business men have

subscribed \$500 to aid the national rivers and harbors congress in its enmpaign for the improvement of inland waters.

business men are figuring building a trolley line from Fargo to Dillmanth, a new suburb created by the Northern Pacific railroad for shops and yards.

Montana mine operators and workers are holding a joint convention in Helena to adjust the wage scale for the ensuing year. The operators desire to make a cut in wager, but this the miners will re-

The receivers of the Pillsbury-Washburn company will keep the mills going.
Pillsbury "A" mill is running on full time
and "B" mill will start in a few days. The court has authorized the payment of employes.

A fight for better railroad rates has been opened by North Dakota wholesalers and jobbers, and at the request of the commercial clubs of Fargo and elsewhere. North Dakotans allege discrimination by railroads in favor of Twin City jobbers and wholesalers, and insist on being given a square deal.

A conference dealing with mining con-ditions existing in the United States and the great number of familities resulting from mine accidents, is being held in Pittsburg. Victor Watterne, chief of the Belgian department of mines, is conferring with Charles Palm of the United States geological survey, and J. W. Paul, chief of the department of mines of West Virginia.

At Schalia, Mo., six hundred employes of the Missouri Pacific stops who have been working on part time since the be-ginning of the financial stringency will resume on full time.

E. E. Beckler, one of the best known civil and construction engineers in the United States, dropped dead at the West Tunnel camp of the St. Paul pass, near Taft, Mont., aged 52 years. Under the direction of Mr. Beckler, the Pacific extension of the Great Northern railroad are constructed. He was at one time was constructed. He was at one time chief engineer for the Montana Central,

According to the statement of one of the prominent coal men who is heavily interested in Wyoming mines, there will be a great suspension of work on all Wyoning coal mines shortly after the first of the month. Trouble between mine owners and miners will bring on a strike.

A company has been organised at La-mont, Mich., to make pearl buttons. It has been incorporated under the name of the Wolverine Pearl Button Company. Nearly 100 men are engaged in fishing for nually from the bottom of the stream.

SOMETHING FOR EVERYBODY

Good beet root sugar yields an aver age of 12 per cent of sugar. Of all the gold in the possession of man 70 per cent is in the shape of

coin.

A statue of Liebig is to be erected in Darmstadt, where he was born in

British India has 86,912 miles of telegraph and cable wires, which are worked at n'very good profit.

The Moltene (Cape Colony) farmers have hit upon a novel plan for dealing with locusts. A farmer has imported some engle kites for the purpose of scaring locusts from the crops.

Sault Ste. Marie canal traffic for the season of 1907 reached a grand total of 58,217,214 tons, which shows a net increase of 12 per cent, or 0,400,184 tons, as compared with that of the sea son of 1000.

Maine and Missourl and North Da kota are soon to vote upon constitutional amendments embodying the initiative and referendum for State matters, and Maine proposes to extend this right to municipal corporations.

The area of Maryland is 12,210 square miles, 2,350 square miles of which are water. There are seven States in the Union which have a smaller area, viz. every New England State except Maine, and New Jersey and Delaware. The gross area of none of these States equals the land area of Maryland.

For the first decade of the twentleth century one of Canada's greatest accomplishments will be the completion of the Dominton's second transcontinental railway. The Grand Trunk has finished its prairie section from Winni peg to Edmonton. From Edmonton to the coast, 700 miles, through the mountains, three years more will be needed. The work is exceedingly difficult and expensive.

The wireless telephone is being stendily pushed toward commercial practicability by the inventors. The work of the French naval lieutenants, Colin, Jeance and Mercier, and Mr. Lee De Forest, of this city, seems already to have opened the other to wire less converse, of an experimental nature, over distances of from 800 to 500 miles, and Mr. Poulsen, of Copenhagen, has promised a transatiantic wireless telephone soon.—New York Globe.

A Florida Judge ruled that mullet were not fish, but birds, because they had gizzards. The customs officials in New York ruled that frogs were fish and must pay duty as such. A game warden in Maine gained popularity by declaring oysters were game and so acquired jurisdiction. And now comes, decision from the custom house that bagpipes are toys and cannot be classed as musical instruments for purposes of taxation.-Florida Times-Union.

In 1809 the production of fermented liquors in the United States upor which taxes were paid was 30,007,634 barrels, including 110,520 for export. In 1906 the production had increased to 54,724,553 barrels, and in 1908 58.747.680 barrels. In 1890 the United States internal revenue tax was paid for consumption on 83,819,314 gallons of distilled spirits other than fruit brandy. In the nine years to 1908 the amount of distilled spirits withdrawn for consumption had increased to 110, 808.402 callons.

As figured out by London Answers the annual cost of "running" a battle ship of the Dreadnought class is \$500. 000 a year, of which \$200,000 goes to the officers for salaries and wages Ammunition in time of peace costs \$60. 000 a year, the expense of necessary target practice being very heavy. Vic tualing, fuel, etc., make up the balance Estimating the original cost of these ships at \$7,500,000, and allowing a life of twenty years, the cost from the first draft plans to the sale of the as junk reaches a total of \$17,500,000

Twenty-four years is a long time for a ship to be away from its home port. but that is the record of a whaling bark that has just docked in New Bedford. The vessel left New Bedford in 1884 for a voyage around Cape Horn and since has been engaged most of the time in whaling in northern latitudes The ship brings news that the whaling ships in the Atlantic are generally making heavy catches this season. wholing husiness seems to have experienced a revival, and with this New Bedford is developing new importance which presents some likeness to its oldtime activities as a whaling port.-Springfield Union.

Baseball is a chronic complaint of Senator Crane. When he was Governor of Magazchmeette he took his ontice staff out for a drive and surprised them by having the carriages pull up at an open field and announcing there was tobe a baseball game. Two nines were chosen and the game began. Pretty soon somebody came along the road. 'What teams are they?" he asked one of the drivers. "Why, that man pitch ing is the Governor of Massachusetts," the driver replied. "The one catching is the Lieutenant Governor. The first paseman is a Congressman, the second baseman is the Judge Advocate Gen-"Say," interrupted the passerby, "perhaps you would like to know who I am. I am Napoleon Bonaparte."

Moses Zangwill, whose death in Jerusalem was reported a few days ago, was the father of Israel. Mark and Louis Zangwill. He was born in Russia, but when he was 16 years old went to England. About ten years ago he gave up his home in England and went to Jerusalem, where he joined the colony of plous Jews who devote their lives to prayer and the study of the ancient law. His biographer says that during his whole career in England he at no time possessed meeans which would have been sufficient to satisfy he requirements of the present allens act. As the father of Israel Zangwill he was a conspicuous figure in the Jewill be founded by his sons.

MY OWN FAMILY USE PE-RU-NA



HOM GEORGE W. HONEY.

Hon. George W. Honey, National Chaplain U. V. U., ex-Chaplain Fourth Wisconsin Cavalry, ex-Treasurer State of Wisconsin, and ex-Quartermaster General State of Texas G. A. R., writes from 1700 First St., N. E., Washington, D. C., as follows:

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Wild Horses Make Escape. Several efforts have been made to capture three bunds of wild horses feeding in the neighborhood of Kit Car-

Among the group that runs wild about twenty miles north of the town says the Denver Republican, are said to be a powerful horse and an equally handsome mare that would make a team worth about \$400. A huge sorre animal with a blaze face, a tall that reaches the ground and a heavy, flow ing mane is the leader of the band, and is said to be so wary that up to date all attempts to run down any member of the group has resulted in failure.

Whenever a man appears on the horl zon the stallion sounds the alarm and starts the band off in the other direc tion, led by a small roan broncho. The sorrel himself orings up the rear, snapping at the mares to make them run faster, and if too hard pushed be will stride off to himself.

The country where the band roams is known as the Little and Big Springs section, and the farmers in that vicin ity are watching their own horses close ly to keen them from folding the wild herd. A domesticated horse is often coaxed away by a band of wild ones and in a few days is as wild as the

There is said to be another band, led by a big brown horse, about twenty miles south of Kit Carson, and a third, led by a bay, not quite so far off. Some of the borses have brands, while others

AWFUL GRAVEL ATTACKS.

fored by Dosp's Kidney Pills After F: A. Rippy, Depot Ave., Gallatin.
Tenn., says: "Fifteen years ago kidney disease attacked me. The pain in my



back was so agonizing I finally had to give up work. Then cam terrible attacks o gravel with acute pain and passages of blood. In all I passed 25 stones, some as large as a bean. Nine years "What are you doing that for, Pat?"

to a state of continual wenkness and I thought I never would be better until I began using Doan's Kidney Pills. The Improvement was rapid and since using four boxes I am cured and have never had any return of the trouble."

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"Uncertainty," moralized the doctor, "is the poison that lurks in everything in this life." "Certainly," said the professor; "life fiself is one-half 'if.'"

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How to Mix It So That Foundation Walls Won's Lenk.
The complaint is often heard that ed and the proper proportions of

oncrete is not water-tight. The concrete materials may be perfectly gradment and of bydrated lime used, and then if the concrete is poorly mixed, mixed with insufficient water, or inproperly placed, or if joints are left in the muse, the wall will invariably leak. In the first place, says Cement Age. the mixture must be thorough, and

in the second place, sufficient water must be employed to give at least a "mushy" mix, so that it will settle into place with only a small amount of ramming. Fully as important as the mixture is the bonding of the concrete between two day's work. For a small structure which must be water-tigat, it is advisable to place the concrete continuously, allowing no joint whatever, and not even permitting the concrete to stiffen up between the batches Even an interruption of an hour in the middle of a hot day has been known to form a joint which will allow water to pass. If continuous work is impracticable, the old surface of the concrete must be thoroughly cleaned of all dirt and partially set cement, so as to expose the concrete. A layer of neat cement paste of soft consistency or else of mortar should be then spread upon the old concrete after thoroughly. etting it, and the new concrete laid before this mortar has stiffened. The placing of the mortar or paste does of preclude the necessity of thoroughly cleaning the surface, for if any of the partially set cement is left on the old concrete, it will form a joint under the new mortar through which water will pass. A long wall or a conduit may require longitudinal reenforcement to prevent temperature cracks and therefore leakage through thein.

PRESCRIBED CUTICURA

After Other Treatment Falled-Raw Ecsemia on Baby's Face Had Lasted Three Months—At Last

Doctor Found Care. "Our baby boy broke out with ectema on his face when one month old. One place on the side of his face the size of a nickel was raw like beefsteak for three months, and he would cry out when I bathed the parts that were sore and broken out. I gave him three months' treatment from a good doctor, but at the end of that time the child was no better. Then my doctor recommended Cuticura. After using cake of Cuticura Soap, a third of a box of Cuticura Cintment, and half a bottle of Cutlcura Resolvent he was well and his face was as smooth as any baby's. He is now two years and a half old and no eczema has reappeared. Mrs. M. L. Harris, Alton, Kan., May 14 and June 12. 1907."

The Wooing of the Woodcock.

The woolng of the woodcock is one of those sights to witness which a lover of nature in all its moods will make a journey of miles. The scene is encted at twilight, and the setting is of willow or alder bushes whose branches green of early spring. Suddenly from takes on an added glamour from the the damp ground a bird form shoots fact that it has not long to last, for are just beginning to show the tender upward like some swamp spirit until it is outlined against the gray of the evening sky. Then it circles above the branches, and the song of the woolng begins. Hidden in the darkness of the thick lower growth is the object to which this love song is directed. The bird above circles perhaps a score of times, then drops back to the damp thicket, making a sound which can be likened only to the dropping of water into a woodland pool. Again the bird soars and circles, singing still the love song. This is repeated time after time until the last gleam of light has faded and night's darkness comes down.

His Discharge. A soldier was seen in the trenches. holding his bands above the earthworks. His captain asked:

He replied, with a grin, as he worked his fingers: "I'm feeling for a furlough, sir." Just then a rifle ball struck his arm just below the wrist. Then a queer ex-

pression of pain and humor passed over his face as he exclaimed: "And faith it's a discharge."-London

Answers.

No Personal Dame-e "Did you have a pleasant trip?" they asked him.

"Yes," said the returned aeronaut. "until we landed. We came down in a farmer's pasture, where there was a big red We got away salely, but the Definition of a Man.

A little girl who had listened to a dis-cussion of nature fakers in literature when asked to define the human and ani mal families replied:
"A brute is an imperfect beast; man is perfect beast."-Judge's Library.

Surface Indications. Stranger (in Gotham)—This is a pret-ty rough part of the city, isn't it? Cabby—Yes, sir; this is Grater New

WHY suffer with eye troubles, quick re-lief by using PETTIT'S EYE SALVE, 25c. All druggists or Howard Bros., Buffalo, N. Y. A Silesian court recently sentenced to prison for two months a man who had failed to cheer the Kaiser during the

military maneuvers. The Bermudas have a Parliament of thirty-six members, while the number of voters is only 1,200.

The health record of the German army is better than that of any other na-

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RARE OLD VOLUME.

Black Letter 16th Century "Shep herd's Kalendar" in Missespolis. Charles L. Fellows, a local biblio phile, owns a copy of "The Shepherd's Kulendar," whose black-letter type smacks of the fine printing of Caxton and Wynkyn de Worde. In fact, the latter printer issued an edition of this celebrated book, says the Minnespolis Journal.

The exact date of Mr. Fellows' copy cannot be made out, except by an ex pert, because the title page, table of contents and two leaves of the begin ning of the book are missing, but the edition has every appearance of having been issued prior to 1600. The remain der of the book is in an excellent state of preservation and a sight of its old plates is calculated to make a book lover water at the mouth. This exceedingly curious book was

very popular for a century or so from 1509 to 1000. One of its features is Lazarus' account of himself while be was dead and what he saw in hell. The infernal sights are pictured in the old wood cuts with a vividues that was calculated to make the wicked man of the sixteenth century lead a much better life than he otherwise would. The "Kalendar" mentions the apocry

phal books of the Bible in a way that seems to show that they were considered authentic. It also has an interest ing variation of the Lord's prayer. "And let us not be led into temptation. It contains, of course, a calendar and much astrology, good advice, poetry and information on the signs of the zodiac

Nothing better could be found to in dicate the amazing progress of the world in the short 400 years that have intervened since this book was consid ered a masterplece of literature, learn

Luck Hand in Hand with Industry

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Martian Life Dying. A sadder interest attaches to such existence—that it is, cosmically speaking, soon to pass away. To our even tual descendants life on Mars will no longer be something to sean and inter pret. It will have lapsed beyond the hope of study or recall. Thus to us it the process that brought it to its pres ent pass must go on to the bitter end until the last spark of Martian life goes out. The drying up of the planet is certain to proceed until its surface can support no life at all. Slowly, but surely, time will snuff it out. When the last ember is thus extinguished the planet will roll a dead world through space, its evolutionary career forever ended .-- Prof. Lowell in Century.

Momentarily at a Loss. The eminent detective had found a clev

o the mystery he had been trying to un ravel. "Ha;" he exclaimed. "I have it at

last! And now-Here he hesitated. A touching instance of the humor which never deserts a true Irishman even in his worst troubles is recorded.

A soldier was seen in the trenches pages to ascertain whether the properto follow it up or to run it down.

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COUNTY TICKET. Judge of Probate—W. Batterson.
Sheriff—W. S. Chaiker.
County Clerk—J. J. Collen.
County Treasurer—Allen B. Failing.
Register of Deeds—R. W. Brink.
Circuit Court Commissioner—O,

Palmer. Prosecuting Attorney—O. Palmer. County Surveyor—E. P. Richardson. Coroners—Dr. S. N. Inaley. Dr. C. H. O'Neil.

Democratic County Ticket.

Judge of Probate-R. McElroy. Sheriff—C. W. Amidon. Clerk—H. P. Olson. Treasurer—W: Jorgenson. Register of Deeds—L. Fournier. Prosecuting Attorney-J. O. Cun-

ingham Circuit Court Commissioner-L. T Surveyor-A, E. Newman, Sr.

Coroners—Andrew Brown. Wm. McCullough.

Eggs is Eggs.

Let us sing the praise of the Great American Hen, who, during the pas year, may well have cackled with pride over the production of nearly one billion three hundred million dozens of eggs! Do you realize what that means? Well, listen:

If, instead of remaining quietly a home in Iowa, she had chosen todem onstrate her powers to the universe at large, the Hen might have laid those eggs, each two inches long, end to end, in a continuous chain reaching 238,818 miles up to the moon, back again, and then more than half way around the world for good measuretotal of 492,424 miles of eggs Furthermore, if those eggs had been made into one omelet half au inch thick, that omelet would easily have twenty-two square miles!

An old Mohammedan legend tells gleam? that King Solomon used to travel through the air with all his armies on a wonderful flying carpet, protected from the rays of the sun by the wings to the poultry census, there are in the United States about two hundred and poultry voting age, which is three her bier" he will remember it. months or over. If required to furnving canopy like that of King Solomon, the barn-yard fowls of this to each, could easily shadow a space of ten square miles .- Arthur Guiter man in October Woman's Home Com-

A Paying Investment.

Mr. John White, of 38 Highland Aye., Houlton, Maine, says: "Have been troubled with a cough every winter andspring. Last winter I tried many advertised remedies, but the cough continued until I bought a 50c bottle of Dr. King's New Disadvery, before that was half gone, the cough was all gone. This winter the same happy result has followed; a few doses once more banished the annual cough. once more banished the annual cough once more banished the annual cough.
I am now convinced that Dr. King's
New Discovery is the best of all cough
and lung remedies." Sold under
guarantee at A. M. Lewiside Co. drug
store. 50c. and \$liQur Trist bottle a physic

The first quarterly meeting of the Conference year will be held in the M. P. Church, (south side) on Saturday and Sunday, October 3rd. and 4th at 7 p. m. Business session on Satur day evening, and Quarterly Services on Sunday. Rev. Terhune of Frederic, will be present and take charge of the services and preach Sunday morning and evening. All are cor-dially invited to attend the services.

How to get Strong.

P. J. Daly, of 1247 W. Congress St. Chicago, tells of a way to become strong: He says; "My mother, who is old said feeble, is decising so much benefit from Electric Ditters, that I benefit from Electric Bittera, that I feel it's my duty to tell those who need a tonic and attent thereing medicine about it in my mother's case a marked gain in flesh has resulted, in somnia has been overcome, and she is steadily growing atronger." Electric Bitters quickly remedy stomach, liver and kidney complaints. Sold under guarantee at A. M. Lewis & Co. drug store. Soc.

Your household piety will be the arowning attribute of your peaceful

A column dedicated to Tired Meth ers as they join the Home Circle at Evening Tide.

Crude thoughts as they fall from the Editorial Pon-Pleasant Evening Reveries.

Just to Remember By.

Each heart has its hoard of treasures Safe hid from the curious eye, Its tokens of bygone hours, Just to remember by.

A rose from the old home garden A ring that the love used to wear, A mother's well-worn Bible, A tress of sunny hair.

A locket, a bunch of violets, Together the treasures lie. Dear fragments of long-lost days Just to remember by.

There are yellow time-stained letters All tied with ribbon blue. A box of battered playthings A baby's tiny shoe.

How often in the hush of twilight, Each keepsake we view with a sigh Then tenderly put them back in place Just to remember by!

The pretty girls whose fages ar their fortunes, soon go into the hands of rescivers.

The reason why people succeed who mind their own business is begapse there is so little competition

There is nothing more tantalizing to go home all primed to scold about something, and find company there gan. and be obliged to act agreeably.

Do not be ashamed of doing the amaliest thing that is helpful to others. The opportunities for great usefulness come rarely, but the smaller things are always at hand, and he who does them constantly is of great usefulness, and sometimes when the great opportunity comes it is only the has trained himself in the little things that have come before Helen Smith came out first prize win who is master of the situation. Be kind, be faithful, be true to all who have any claim upon you. Do not miss a chance to do a favor to those who need your help, and you cannot fall to become useful men and women and of such, the world has great need.

The Woman to Marry

Is she not the very sparble and sun ahine of life?—a woman who is happy because she can't help it-whos smile even the coldest sprinkle of misfortune cannot dampen. Men make a terrible mistake when they marry for beauty, or for talents, or for style. The sweetest wives are those who possess the magic secret of being contented under any circumstances. Rich or poor, high or low, it makes no difference: the bright little fountain of joy bubbles up just as musically in their hearts. Do they live in a log cabin? The fire on its humble hearth becomes brighter than the gilded chandeliers in an Aladdin palace.

Where is the stream of life so dark and unpropitious that the sunshine of thick, that omelet would easily have a happy face falling on the turbid covered Manhattan Island, an area of twenty-two square, miles!

Sometimes.

Sometimes the hasty word has been spoken, the sharp snappish word of a host of birds. Now, according been carelessly uttered in the home circle. The true wife's heart so often bleeds at the bitter, thoughtless but eighty millions of chickens, guines cutting word of a husband. When she fowls, turkeys, geese and ducks of the is gone to heaven and he "weeps over

Sometimes the husband finds no cheery word of welcome at the doo country, allowing only a foot of spread and fireside, when at night he comes home weary an heart-heavy from toil the Sea of Tiberias, famed for the which may have yielded small return. miracles Christ performed there, has which may have yielded small return. O, my friends, how bright our homes ought to be! Kind words, loving deeds and pure affection shoulh rule in them. Are the little ones made to feel that home is the sweetest, cheerlest, best and brightest spot this side of glory?

From allurements abroad which just flatter the eye, Will the heart unceasingly turn with

a sigh While far distant it in sadness roam, And sing in sweet melody "there was no place like home."

don't think asything about the machines that save labor in the house. That is out of their province, and they don't seem to care enough about it to give the matter any attention whatever. Such treatment is calculated to discourage the women. It is the worst kind of selfishness. A woman's work on the farm is quite as hard as a man's, if the man could only be made to realize it. but-he wont, in many cases. He consults his own interests, and lets the wife get along the best way she can, forgetful that her in ferests are identical with his own, and should be so considered by him. Lighten the labors of the women all you can. Don't think it will encourage idleness to introduce articles of labor than the absolute silence which flatsaving machinery in the kitchen. It never has done so and it never will. show

HomeCircleDepartment home—the forwar of living stare" that shall adorn the night of its tribuhome the "trown of living stare" lation and the pillar of cloud and of tire in its pilgrimage to a "better country." It shall atrew the family with the flowers of promise and enshrine the memory of loved ones gone before, in all the fragrance of that "blessed hope" of reunion in heaven which looms up from the dying hour. It shall give to the infant soul its 'perfect flowering', and expand it in all the fullness of a generous love and conscious blesseditess, making it "Instrous in the livery of divine knowledge.,' And then, in the dark hour of home separation and bereavement, when the question is put to thee, mourning parents, "Is it well with thee?" you can answer with joy: "It is well."

A boy will forget in a moment when his mother rescued bim from drowning, but he will remember all the days of his life the time his mother made him wait until the company had caten.

Frederic Freaks.

C. H. O'Niel and wife returned from weeks visit near Deckerville. Mrs. Mc Cracken was Hello girl in their absence.

Laurance Moran of East Jordon prought the remains of their little boy for burial here last Tuesday. Mrs. Moran wishes to thank the choir for their kindness,

Mies Mc. Kibben, the Brimary teacher realgned in favor of any one they can get. Mrs. Gardener is visiting in Cheboy

The mill sprinkled down Sunday protection from fire.

Mrs. Fisher now occupies her home n East Main atreet. S. Yates and family spent Sunday

Mrs. Sheets has gone to Cheboygan Joe Moran of Alba was here last

The Lady Maccabees gave a pedro party last week. There was not many out but a good time was had by the few present. Fred Mc. Linden and ners while Mrs. J. Tobin and Nettie Cameron were boobies.

Mr. and Mrs. Barnes took in the Staudish Fair last week.

Rev. Arthur E. Gay visited in our town, as the teachers used to do fifty years ago. visiting around. Some alarm was felt as to the safety

of Frederic last Sunday night, but a copius rain came Monday, putting the fires all out. Miss Rose Lewis returned hom again.

Facts About Lake Erle.

Inke Erie has the largest number of ports of 100,000 population or upwards. Lake Superior has no city in that class, nor has Lake Huron one near he 100,000 limit. Lake Ontarlo has only one and that a Canadian port —unless Rochester, which has Char-lotte for a port and lies several miles inland, is included.

Strength of Grindstones.

The strength of a grindstone appears from recent tests to vary widely with the degree of its wetness or dryness, stones that are dry showing ten-sile strengths of from 146 to 1 pounds per square inch, but after soaking over night breaking under stresses of 80 to 116 pounds per square inch.

Brunettee Have the Call. A physician is responsible for a statement which is at once novel and surprising. He declares that the chances of dark women of obtaining husbands are to those of fair wom-en in the proportion of three to two, and that this conclusion is proved by

Sea of Galilee Ferry Line.

The Lake of Gennesaret in Palestine, called also the Sea of Galilee and the Sea of Tiberias, famed for the miracles Christ performed there, has just been profamed by the appearance of a modern steamer, which will take passengers to the little villages on its shores.—N. Y. World.

November, 1908, the following officers are to be elected:

Governor, Lieutenant Governor, Secretary of State. State Treasurer, Auditor General, Comfice, Attorney General, Superintendent of Public Instruction, Member of the State Board of Education. Justice of the Supreme Court to fill vacancy, fourteen electors of President and Vice-President of the United States: Representative in Congress With which an Eye Glas just been profuned by the appearance of a modern steamer, which will take passengers to the little villages on its

Queer Birth Offerings.
A singular birth custom prevails in

Yorkshire. In parts of the West Rid-ing it is quite common for visitors to a house in which a new baby has appeared to carry with them as an of-fering to the infant a new laid egg. some salt, a piece of bread and, in some cases, a penny.

Flower Symbols.

January, the snowdrop. February,
the primrose. May, the violet. April,
the daisy. May, the hawthorne. June,

the honeysuckle. July, the water lily August, the poppy. September, the morning glory. October the hop blos-som. November, the chrysanthemum. December, the holly.

The Church and the Masses. Speaking generally, the masses of our ity people seem either to live voluntarily outside the pale of religious in-fluences, or, if willing to come into fitful contact with such influences, to be but little attracted or affected by them.-Exchange.

Consolation in Serrows.

Let a friendly heart divise our sorrows and force us to confess them, and we find in this confession a consolation a thousand times sweeter tered our pride .- Viscountess De Lar-

Old Clock in Good Recair. James H. Clark, of Hardwick, Vt., a small village on Cape Cod. The has a clock about 160 years old. The local lumber dealer is named Lummalogany case is seven feet tail. The bort, the mitman is Mr. Waterman, works are of wood, and all the repair the fish merchant is Mr. Phinney, the ing needed for a long time had to be arouning atttribute of your peaceful made on these,



Cupid will lay down his Arrows

when he sees our exhibit of autum jewelry. He will recognize in it a much more effective weapon than his old darts. Come and see what you think of the display. You will see the wisdom of

Ally in the direction your heart lies. We

have presents for brides, presents for the engaged, presents for the one who is still to be caught. Come and select the gift which fits your case.

A.PETERSON The Jeweler.

Election Notice.

TO THE ELECTORS OF CRAW-FORD COUNTY! Take Notice, that at the general election to be held November 3d, A. D. 1908, there will be submitted to a vote of the

electors of Crawford county the proposition of raising the sum of four thousand and five hundred dollars for the purpose of erect- People's Meat Market of which amount two thousand dollars shall be taken from the contingent fund of the county HAMS, and the balance of two thousand and five hundred dollars to be borrowed on the credit of the county, to be paid in the year FRESH 1910.

By order of the Board of Supervisors of Crawford County JAMES J. COLLEN,

County Clerk. Dated Sept. 25, 1908.

Election Notice,

MICHIGAN Department of the State
LANSING.
To the Sheriff,
Grayling, Michigan.

You are hereby notified that at the General Election to be held in this State on Tuesday, November 3rd.,

1908, there will be submitted to the qualified electors the following:

The question of the adoption or rejection of the Revised Constitution.

The question of the adoption or re jection of the proposed amendment to Section Ten of Article Fourteen of the Constitution relative to the taxa-tion of property by a State Board of In Witness Whereof, 1 hav

hereto affixed my signature and the Great Seal of the [SEAL] State, at Lausing, this thirty-first day of August fineteen hundred eight. CLARENCE J. MEARS.

Deputy Secretary of State

Election Notice.

MICHIGAN Department of State
LANSING.

Mr. Charles W. Amidon.

Sheriff of Crawford county,
Grayling, Michigan.
You are hereby notified that at the general election to be held in this State on Tuesday, the third day of November, 1908, the following officers

A. M. LEWIS & CO.,
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Grayling, - - Mich.

ident and Vice-Prdsident of the United States; Representative in Congress for the Tenth Congressional District, to which your county belongs; State Senator for the Twenty-eighth Senatorial District, comprising the counties of Alcona. Oacoda, Crawford, Iosco, Ogemaw, Roscommon, Arenac, Gladwin, Clare and Oaceola and Representative in the State Legislative of Alcona and Alconach Representative in the State Legislative of Alconach Representative in Congress With which an Eye Glass rides the rotation of the Representative in Congress With which an Eye Glass rides the with which an Eye Glass rides the rotation of the Representative in Congress With which an Eye Glass rides the rotation of the Representative in Congress With which an Eye Glass rides the rotation of the Representative in Congress With which an Eye Glass rides the rotation of the Representative in Congress With which an Eye Glass rides the rotation of the Representative in Congress With which an Eye Glass rides the rotation of the Representative in Congress With which an Eye Glass rides the rotation of the Representative in Congress with the State of the Representative in the State of the Repre

In withiess whereof I have hereto affixed my signature and the Great Seal of the [SEAL] State, at Lansing, this thirty-first day of August, in the year of our Lord, nineteen hundred eight.

CLARENCE J. MEARS,

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Deputy Secretary of State

Please Pronounce It. The Russian official organ in St. Petersburg has a fine name for the newspapers. It is the Praultelstvini Viestnik.

Firemen on Ocean Liners One hundred and twenty firemer are required to feed the furnaces of a first-class Atlantic steamer.

Prospect in Himalayse. Seventeen American mining neers are prospecting in the Hima

Cape God Folk.

Some curlously appropriate names are to be found among the citizens of minister is hr. Paradise and the provision dealer is Mr. Bacon.

hotographer ositively leases articular atrons romptly at R opular

Silver Polish! Making our Jewelry Your

rices.

Do not make the mistake o using powder of any kind to naing powder of any kind to clean your ailver will be short lived especially plated ware. The construction of ailver polish such as I sell and can guarantee will not injure your silver in the least is a boon to any housewife, as it is easy to use, always ready, and is just as good to clean nickel or gold.....

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for school With books and pencils, and scribbler and inks and pens and all the other etceters is a regular recurring duty.

Each time the boy or girl steps up a notch something new is needed. Here is the store to come to get all the needables. All the varied wants of the little fellow

in the varied wants of the little relieved in the lowest class or his big brother in the higher grade—or his sister at any point on the road of knowledge—can be got here the very minute they are needed. We are always glad to assist the ohli-dren to choose their necessities, even if they propose spending only a few cents.

A. M. LEWIS & CO.,

and Comfort

Representative in the State Legislature for the Presque Isle Legislative District, comprising the counties of Presque Isle, Montmorency, Oscoda, all nose and my lenses are the very Otzego and Crawford.

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Quality to Price.

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Mid-Summer Clearance Sale!

Dress Goods and Silks

The final call on Silks and Wool Materials should arrest the attention of every thrifty shopper. The lot includes almost any pattern for waist, skirt or suit:

50c Bilks for 39c, 75c Bilks for 59c \$1.00 Bilks for 79c, 1.50 Silks for 1.00 36 in Sultings in Mohairs, 50c value, at 37c

48 in all wool fancy Sultings, \$1.00 value, at 79c All wool Black Vail, \$1.50 values, at \$1.00 Lawn and Silk Shirt Waists, all the new styles, at ONE THIRD of reg-

Regular \$12.00 Suits for \$9.00

Men's Suits.

niar prices.

Regular \$22.00 Sults for \$17.00 Regular \$20.00 Suits for \$15.00 Regular \$18.00 Suits for \$13.00 Regular \$15.00 Suits for \$11.00

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Every suit we have in the store will be sold at cost!

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FOR WEAK, SORE LUNGS, ASTHMA, BRONCHITIS, HEMORRHAGES

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A. M. Lewis & Co. Druggists.

Crawford: Avalanche.

GRAYLING, THURSDAY, OCT.

Local and Neighborhod News.

Take Notice.

The date following your address on this paper shows to what time your subscription is paid. Our terms are \$1.50 per year in Advance. If you time is up, please renew promptly. A X following your name means we want

our money.
All advertisements, communications, correspondences, etc., must reach us by Tuesday noon, and cannot be con-pleasant outing at Petosky, Lak

Wanted—Four small pigs. R. HANBON & BONS.

Edison records for October now on sale at Hathaway's.

Go to H. Bates for St. Charles and Fred Michelson has entered the law class at the University at Ann-Acher. Simpson is selling shoes cheap.

Two furnished rooms to rent for the winter. Enquire here.

Wanted-S bushel of Rye. P. AEBLI, Grayling

Found-Just the thing for that present, a Fountain Pen from Hathaway's For Sale-3 English Pointer puppies. Enquire of Prof. Clark.

Special bargains in houses and vacant lots. Apply to Chas. S. Clark. Discovered that the place to get shoes is at Simpson's.

Victor Graphaphone Records for September at Scott Loader's Barber

Salling, Hanson Co., lost 10,000 ties from forest fires, Sunday on the Buell branch near Vanderbilt.

Leave your orders for coal at S. H. Co's., store. Prices as low as any-

Solon Holbrook's baby girl fell last week and fractured one of the bones

selling cheap.

Hathaway's.

George Wilcox late of Lewiston has been promoted to the position of section foreman, and moved to Afton, in Cheboygan Co.

For Sale Cheap-A Pontiac Road wagon, nearly new ROLLA W. BRINK.

S. H. Co., will fill your coal bin, if you leave your order at their store. It will pay you to order now.

P., on the inside. Enquire here. Re- good time to look them over.

Desirable building lots for sale on Lucien Fournier.

Use Eureka Egg Preservative and save money. It is a sure thing. For sale at the Central Drug store.

For first-class lunches at reasonable prices go to Collen's Restaurant. Opposite S. H. Co's store.

For sewing machines, the best in the market, and at the lowest price call at the AVALANCHE office.

A first class work team, good drivers, with harness and wagon for sale, at less than value. Enquire at AVAL-

Cold weather will soon be here and

The railroad iron was laid from the west to Michelson's mill last week, and found over five million shingles ready for shipment.

will hold Episcopal services at G. A. p. m. All are cordially invited.

For Sale-A good framed house.

Lost-A black and brown dog. ans-

York Tribune Farmer to our paid up the side of her husband in Elimwood aubscribers for another year for 50c. cemetery. It is a dollar publication and worth more than that to any, farmer.

M. Hauson brought us as fine sample of celery, as ever saw grown. The boys at one of the camps like good things and have raised a big lot. Crawford County takes the lead.

The long looked for and wished for rain reached here early Monday morning, continuing for five hours, so the fear of further fires was quelled. A cold wave followed.

For Sale-Sixty acres of hardwood as there is important business to be land, as good as the best, near Fred- transacted. eric and in easy reach of Grayling. Five acres cleared and small orchard started. No buildings. Will be sold at a bargain. Enquire at the freight of the prophet Elijah. The subject

ELMER BATTERSON.

Dr. N. H. Traver of Lewiston passed through the village last week on his way to Detroit He is looking in better health than for several years, and credits it to outdoor work on the farm the past summer, to which he is becoming greatly attached. He is always a welcome caller.

ater heating glant in the dwelling of amuel Photos

Sheriff Amidon and W. T. Lewis, of rederic, went to Baginaw yesterday, to attend the Democratic State Cou-

Dr. C. H. O'Niel and C. F. Kelley of Frederic are in Detroit this week attending the Republican State Convention.

Jas. W. Hartwick was in town las week, hardly long enough to shake hands and say goodbye to half of his friends.

pleasant outing at Petosky, Lake View and Harbor Springs, returning last week.

The Ladie's Aid of the M. E. church will meet with Mrs. Crandall, tomorrow afternoon at 2:30. A full attendance of all the members is desired. Lunch will be served.

Mrs. Dorothy Williams, nee Jorgen son, with the boy, and her husband who came up to escort them home started for St. Louis Monday, after s delightful summer at Portage Lake.

Mrs. Dr. Montgomery came from Chicago last Saturday to look over matters at their big Beaver Creek farm, on learning that the lesser, Mr. Baker had skipped out, and that con racts had not been fulfilled.

Mrs. L. D. Tower and son, Edison have returned from their trip to Detroit and Evart and a niece, Mrs Schineman accompanied them home and expects to spend the winter with them.

Last Friday Hubbard Head had the nisfortune to lose about 20 tons of clover. Shortly after they had placed the threshing engine a spark caught in the stack and quickly destroyed it.

The members are requested to attend the regular business meeting of the Ladies Union of the Presbyterian Church to be held in the Church, Friday, Oct. 2nd., at 2 o'clock. Business of importance and election of officers for the new year.

On the evening of Sept. 23rd the ladies of Lovell gave a box social for Beeing is believing. Go to Simplandies of Lovell gave a box social for the benefit of the new Catholic paraon's and see the good shoes he is sonage at Grayling, which netted them the sum of \$23.00. Rev. Father Call in and hear the new four min- Relss and the members of the Grayutes Amberol records now on sale at ling congregation extend their heartfelt thanks to all participants and donors.

A walk through the the rejuvinated store of the Grayling Mercantile Co., will make you think you have struck a department store in some city. The immense stock of goods now arriving are placed in proper place with room enough to give excellent display, and from the basement to the roof every available portion of the rooms will be utilized. Next Saturday is named for Lost-A gold bracelet, initials C. J. their Fall opening, and it will be a

terms to suit purchasers. Inquire of witness the rendition of the popular play, "In Missouri," as given by local talent and all express the utmost satisfaction for their entertainment It made some money for the dramatic troupe, and a pleasant evening for our citizens, which was supplemented with. by a social hop for the younger disciples of Terpsichore.

R. Hanson and Sons are building a Houghton was the auctineer. rival city to Grayling, just north of N. Dickinson and family returned to our limits, which will include store. hotel and shops, besides their mills, and houses enough to cover 600 people for a starter, to be called "T-Town." That there will be a hustling suburb day, to see the mill start to Grayling on the north, which will C. F. Dickinson shipped if you need any coal for winter, it will include the mill of R. Hanson and of hogs to Ohio, lastweek pay you to leave your order with S. H. Sons and the big Turpentine plant of Mr. Lampkley, of Saginaw, was in the Northern Development Co., which town Tuesday. s nearly ready for business

Died-At the residence of her son in this village, Friday, Sept. 25th., Rev. A. R. Mitchell of West Branch Margaret Clark, age 72 years. Mrs. Clark had been a resident here for R. Hall on Tuesday, Oct. 6th at 7:30 15 years and for several years has been in delicate health, following an attack of typhoid pneumonia, and at times seemed mentally unbalanced. eight rooms, with four lots, barn and but more especially since the death of large hen house. Enquire at this her husband. Every possible care has been given her by her sons. Charles S., and John L. Clark, with wers to the name of Stub. Was at constant watchfulness, though no Necland's Sept. 6. The finder will mania was exhibited, but great menplease notify, H. P. Hauson, Gray-ling. 2w tal depression, until at last, being left alone for a few moments she ended the struggle by strangluation. Her We shall be able to furnish the New body was laid to rest on Saturday by

M. E. Church.

Sunday, Oct., 4, 1908. Preaching service 10.30 p. m. Sabbath School at 11.45 a.m. Epworth League at 6.00 p. m. Preaching service 7.00 p. m.

Prayer meeting Thursday at 7.00 There will be a business meeting of the League, Thursday evening after the Prayer meeting. Every member of the League is urged to be present

On Sunday evening the Pastor will series of sermons on the life and work for this Sunday evening will be "Di vine Guidance," (1 Kinga 17: 2, 4.) All are cordially invited:

"E. G. JOHNSON, Pastor.

Tes a Cold Weather Drink. One-third more ten is used in an umn and winter than in summer and

[OFFICIAL.] Grayling, Sept. 28, 1908.

Special meeting of the Common Council convened at the Court House, J. F. Hum, President, in the chair, Present Trustees Brink, Kraus,

Petersen and Fournier.
Absent Trustee Clark and Insley,
Meeting called to order by the Pres-

ident.
Moved and supported, that a 12 inch sewer from Ogemaw atract to the river on Maple street be laid 16 feet from the iot line, on the low side of the atract, and that all the laterals be of 6 inch tile, 16 teet from the lot line on the low side of the atract. Motion careful.

Moved and supported, that the petition of Chris Hauson et. al. relative to cement walks be granted as far as the highway fund will permit. Mo-

tion carried.

Moved and supported, that gravel be placed on south side Michigan Avenue, blocks 16 and 17. Motion carried.

Moved and supported that we ad-Moved and supposed journ. Motion prevailed.
H. P. OLSON,
Village Clerk.

A Sure-enough Knocker.

says: "Hucklen's Arnica Salve is a sure-enough knocker for ulcers. A bad one came on my leg last summer, but that wonderful salve knocked it out in a few rounds. Not even a scar remained," Guaranteed for piles and sores, burns etc. 25c. at A. M. Lewis & Co. drug store.

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Sunday, Oct., 4, 1908. Preaching services 10:30 a. m. and

Sabbath School 11:30 a. m.

Junior League at 3 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday, at 7.

Quarterly meeting will be held in the Church Saturday and Sunday. Business session Saturday at 7 p. m Rev. W. G. Ternune of Frederic

will preach Sunday morning and eve-All are cordially invited to attend

R. H. CUNNINGHAM, Pastor.

They Take The Kinks Out.

"I have used Dr. King's New Life Pills for many years, with increasing satisfaction. They take the kinks out of atomach, liver and bowels, without fuss or friction," says N. H. Brown, of Pittsfield, Vt. Guaranteed satisfactory at A. M. Lewis & Co. drug store, 25c.

Levells Lecals.

Saturday Douglas & Co's new plant was started. They commenced with the manufacture of shingles, in order to get some timber out of the pond, which is piled full. This is one of the finest mills in northern Michigan and A fine crowd assembled at the is fully equipped with best up-to-date opera house last Friday evening, to machinery, as nothing is too good for Douglas & Co. They are well pleased the way the mill is running at the present time.

School commenced Menday, the 21, with Miss Margaret Husted as teacher and 35 scholars on the roll to begin

Wednesday evening there was box social at the Pavillon for the ben-

The Bay City Tribune recites that efit of the catholic society. E. S.

New York state Friday. Chas. Johnson was in town last Friday. He looks as well as ever.

Marius Hanson was in town Satur C. F. Dickinson shipped one carload

Monday. T. E. Douglas went to Saginaw Friday and returned Saturday morning.

Potato Harvest is on. Tubers are not as good as we should like, about half a crop this year. One of our neighbors is plastering

his house, although the roof is not shingled. It must be he expects the drouth to continue. If smoke is a preservative, we must

be well preserved by this time. Every body is willing to have it rain and put out the fires.

Saturday afternoon T. E. Douglas opened the doors of the pavillon for his daughter Margaret who had invited about 40 guests to spend the afternoon with her. They had full possession of the lawn as well as the Pavillion. The weather was fine. The little ones were swinging and playing, the time passing swiftly by, when Miss Margarete announced that luncheon was ready, and on this occasion Mrs. T. E. Douglas had shown her liberality by providing an immense birthday cake. Miss Margarete was allowed to trim the cake with candy, although only 5 years old Margarete showed her generous disposition by covering that cake with candy. No vacant spots left, the sides all around as well as the top was covered with candy, so each guest had a liberal supply of candy as well as cake. Nothing occured to mar the pleasure of the little ones and no one seemed to enjoy the occasion more than Miss Margarete, when she cut the cake on her 5th anniversary.

Sheep Owners.

Have you lost a ewe and lamb. One came with my flock on the 19 inst. Owner please come and get it. HENRY STEPHAN,

Grayling, Mich.

DAN.

Mattresses!

We wish to call your attention to our fine line of mattresses, choose a mattress as you would a house; Be certain that it is built for comfort and built to last.

OTTERNOORES, STEARNS & FOSTERS.

We handle the advertised line.

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Call and Examine Our Fine Stock.

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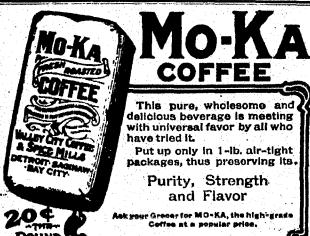
AUCTION SALE!

We have decided to sell our entire stock of Hardware and Impliments, at Auction with the stock and tools of the S. B. Brott Farm, at the homestead place on October 8th at a o'clock n. m

Now is the chance to get tools and repairs cheap, try and attend, we have a feed mill; stump machine and two cows not on bills.

The S.B. Brott Implement Co.

Wellington, Michigan.



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GRAND FALL OPENING!

Saturday October 3rd

We will have our Fall Opening of Ladies' Millinery, and extend a cordial invitation to the Ladies of Grayling and vicinity to attend the same.

LADIES' SUITS, COATS AND SKIRTS.

We also wish to announce the opening of the new styles in Ladies' Suits, Coats and

EXPERIENCED MILLINER.

We have secured the Services of Miss Mildred Leach an Experienced Milliner for our new Millinery Department.

Grayling Mercantile Co.,



Drugs.

Patent Medicines.



For the best and purest Drugs and Chemicals. Standard pat-nt mediciens, Fancy Goods, Toilet articlés, perfamery, Stationery nd Druggist Sundries call on the Central Drug Store, Our stock is complete in every detail and in compounding

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use only the Purest and best grades obtainable. COME IN AND SEE.

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Candy

O. W. ROESER, Manager.

Diarrhoea, Colic and Cholera Morbus



PRICE, M. CRITH

In almost every neighborhood some one has died from these dis-sees before medicine could be pro-cured or a physician summoned.

oured or a physician summon

Those who rely upon physicians often find that they are away from home when most needed. livery family, and especially those who reside on farms and ranches,

miles from any drog store or physi-cian should keep at hand a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and

Diarrhoea Remedy.

No physician can prescribe a bet-ter medicine for the purposes for which it is intended. The remerkable cures effected by this remedy, in all parts of the country, have made it the acknowledged standard.

able for children and adults.

It can always be depended upon to effect a quick cure, and when reduced with water is pleasant to take.

FOR SALE AT THE CENTRAL DRUG STORE.

FOND DU LAC FIRE LOSS BIG.

Flames Are Controlled After Damage of \$250,000.

Fire which for a time threatened the entire city of Fond du Lac. Wis. was extinguished the other morning after damage estimated at \$250,000 had resulted. principal losses are: St. Joseph's Ro-Catholic church and parsonage, \$100,000; Congregational church, \$75, 000; Crescent garage and seven automobiles, \$35,000; St. Peter's Lutheran church steeple, \$7,000; Grant public school, \$10,000; former Mayor Mayham's residence, \$10,000. The fire is said to have started from an explosion of gaso line in the Crescent garage. With the aid of a high wind, the flames soon communicated to the church property in that vicinity. Firebrands from the burning churches were blown over an area of ten blocks square, spreading to roofs of many

PHILADELPHIA BOY ENDS LIFE. Forbidden to Pay Schoolgirl Atten

tion, He Ends Life. Horace J. Ray, 15 years old, shot him-self to death in Philadelphia in the presence of 15-year-old Florence Marshall, bis schoolgirl sweetheart, because he had been forbidden paying attention to her to the neglect of his studies. The chil-dren went to the same public school and the boy was the girl's constant escort. serious was he in his attentions that his family forbade him going to her house. He bade the girl good-by and after telling her that he could not live without her and intended to end it all, he drew a revolver and attempted to shoot himself. The weapon failed to explode and the girl struggled to keep him from injuring himself. He managed to readjust the rehe shot himself in the breast. He died in her arms.

BOY KIDNAPED FROM SCHOOL.

Leavenworth Youth Hurried Away to Kausas City in Automobile. A woman, heavily velled, and a man in an automobile kidnaped Theodore Thomas Jr., son of a well-known Leavenworth man, from the grade school in Leaven-

worth, Kan., and placing him in the au-tomobile, drove hastily in the direction of Kansas City. A young man who gave the name of John Hayes, Jr., and said he was the son of the former chief of police of Kansas City, Mo., was arrested placed in the county jail charged with some time ago was granted a divorce from his wife. Mrs. Agnes Thomas, and was given the custody of their son. Young Thomas lived with his grandmother. The mother of the boy lived in Kansas City,

STANDING OF THE CLUBS. Progress of Pennant Race in Base NATIONAL LEAGUE

New York. 90 52 Cincinnati ...71 77 Chicago ...93 54 Boston61 84 Philidelphia 77 65 St. Louis...49 98

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Detroit83 61 Boston70 Cleveland ...84 62 Philadelphia 65 Chicago ...83 62 Washington. 61 St. Louis. . . 79 64 New York . . 47 94

Woman in Counterfeit Band.

Fred Miller, John Miller and Minnie Hathaway, alias Miller, have been arrested at Bellaire, Ohio, by United States Marshal Williamson on charges of grand larceny and counterfeiting. They are wanted at Hillsdale, Mich. When arrested the trio bad molds for making nickels and other small coins.

Mrs. Gunness Allve. C. L. Fish, a Chicago detective, who as been working in the Gunness case in the interest of the attorneys for Ray Lamphere, who is under six indictment for complicity in the woman's crimes at Laporte, Ind., declares that he is in possession of uncontrovertible evidence that

Chlengo Busness Man Gone arter, former president of the South Side Elevated railroad, and a pror inent figure in Chicago's business is dead, after a year's illness.

the woman is alive.

Ridder in Haskell's Place. Herman Ridder, editor of the New York Staats Zeitung and vice chairman of the publicity bureau of the Democratic mational committee, has been appointed by National Chairman Mack as treasurer of the national committee to succeed Gov. Charles N. Haskell of Oklahoma.

Damaged by Iceberg. The steamer Kite has reached New Boundland with news that the steamer Erik, which accompanied the Peary ex on to the north, is on her way to 18t. Johns to refit after being damaged in a collision with an iceberg.

Abrusul Galus Royal Consent. King Victor Emmanuel of Italy, as head of the house of Savoy, has finally the marriage of his consin Louis, the The of the Ahrnari, and Miss Katherine Elkins, daughter of United States Senator Elkins of West Virginia.

FILIBUSTERING PLAN REVEALED

Boston Paper States Expedition Was to Start from There.

The Boston Post publishes the disclosure of an alleged fillbustering expedition which it was intended to start from that city on Oct. 1. It was to be composed of 600 men fully armed and equipped for the overthrow of the United States of Colombia. Attention was first called to the proposed expedition by advertisements for recruits, graduates of the United States navy and army preferred. The advertisements were signed merely "W. A. B." A reporter claims to have enlisted and secured the information of the expedition. Four machine guns and two Hotch-kiss guns, with other equipment, it is alleged, had already been purchased from names of the growers from whom they New York concerns. A British tramp steamer had been secured, it is said, to transport the troops and arms to South America. A fishing schooner was to take them out of Boston harbor. A former major in the United States army was to command. The tramp steamer was to proceed to the Magdalena river, from which point the forces would march upon Barranoullla and attack the governmen

CARS CRASH IN FOG: 50 INJURED Heavy Canualties in Head-On Trol-

ley Collision Near Philadelphia. Fog was responsible for a head-on collis on between two trolley cars on the South western Traction Company's line between Philadelphia and Chester, in which about fifty persons were injured, several probably fatally. A car leaving Philadelphia with workmen employed by the Baldwin Locomotive Company at its out-of-town plant and known as the "Baldwin tripper" was speeding along the single track with seventy-two men on board, when suddenly a car coming from Chester loomsuddenly a car coming from Chester toomed up in the fog. Before brakes could be applied there was an awful crash. Men were hurled in every direction and both cars were wrecked. The Baldwin tripper had waited on the siding for the regular Baldwin between the siding for the regular baldwin tripper had waited on the siding for the regular baldwin the siding for the siding for the siding for the regular baldwin the siding for the s Philadelphia bound car to pass and then proceeded toward the Baldwin works, the crew unaware that an extra car was coming toward them on the same track.

TYPHOON SWEEPS PHILIPPIES. Great Loss of Life and Property I

Caused by Terrific Storm.

A typhoon of terrific velocity swept through the central portion of the Philippine group, sweeping part of the Island of Samar, northern Leyte, southeastern Luzon, northern Panay, Masbate and part of Romblon. The typhoon disappeared in the China sea, moving in a direction west by northwest. Wires are prostrated and available details of the damage done ar neager. It is evident, however, that serious disaster followed in the wake of the sudden storm. A telegram from a town in Masbate reports that every building in the place was razed with the single excep-tion of the postal building. A dispatch received from Rombion says that the tya great loss of property and that undoubtedly many persons have

BIG FIRE IN CHELSEA, MASS.

City Again Mas Disastrons Confis gration-Five Plants Destroyed.
Fire destroyed the large box factory of Atwood & McManus on Vale street in Chelsea, Mass., and then spread to the Hill-Rowland brass foundry on Fourth street, destroying that plant. Shortly after the fire started ten wooden tenewere burning and the flames were

sweeping unchecked toward Powder Horn hill. The Chelsen bottling works and Lee Bros.' shoe factory also caught fire. At 9:20 a. m. the large wooden building occupied by the Eastern Storage Company and situated near the Boston and Maine tracks was in flames. At 10 sl5 the fre was practically under control. The loss is estimated at \$300,000.

NORTHERN PACIFIC TO EXTEND.

300 Miles of Railroad Will Be Built

In Montana.

The application of the Northern Pacific for right of way in costern Montana marks the beginning of extensive construction work by that company, the plans for which provide for the building of a line of Mandan, N. D., traversing the Yellowstone reclamation project. one of the biggest government irrigation schemes. In North Dakoin the new line will traverse a section without railroad facilities. The project will involve about 300 miles of railroad building.

Railroad Must Obey Car Rule. The application of the Baltimore Ohio railroad for a preliminary injunction to restrain the interstate commerce commission from enforcing an order relative to coal car distribution was denied by the United States Circuit Court in Baltimore. The order to which the railroad company objected was one requiring it to include so-called "private" and "foreign railway fuel" cars in making up its perentage of allotments of cars.

400 Cotton Mills Are Closed. More than 400 cotton mills in Lanca shire, England, are idle as a result of the dispute over wages between operatives and employers. This means that 40,000. 000 spindles are wholly or partially stopped, that more than \$250,000,000 of capital is not bringing in any return, and that 140,000 operatives are without work and losing something over \$700,000 in vages a week.

Lumber Fire in Quincy, Ill. Fire destroyed the city yards and sheds of the Moller & Vandenboom Lum-ber Company at Quincy, III., including 1,000,000 feet of dressed lumber. The flames also partly destroyed the ware-house of the Williamson Produce Commany and burned several dwellings and tables. The damage is \$75,000.

Baby Drowns in Milk Bucket. The 10-months-old daughter of S. O. Middlemas, a farmer near Springfield, Mo., fell into a bucket of milk and was drowned before her parents found her. The bucket was on the ground near the back porch of the house and the child tumbled into it from the porch.

Prominent Artist Dead F. M. Howarth, one of the best-known comic artists in the country, died at his home in Germantown, Pa., Tuesday, aged 43 years. Death was caused by pneu-monia. Ho was one of the first men to do newspaper illustrating in Philadelphic

Wrecked Crew Resence. The captain and five seamen of the schooner Mary B. Judge were rescued at sea and taken to Porto Rico after being lashed six days to the wreck.

Additional Theological Courses. The Yale divinity school announces courses in the relations of a minister to the scomen of his fock, mental dealing,

trades unionism and politics.

REPORTS FINE CYSTER CHOP

New York Health Board Also Gus unfers Their Parity. "Heat in several years," is what the dealers say of this fall's oyster crop in the Loug Island waters. The future, too, is provided for in an excellent set of baby oysters. In the summer officials of the health department have inspected all the oyster beds from New York City to New the proposed expedition by advertisements Haven and down the New Jersey coast in local papers several months ago calling as far as Manasquan. Certain waters for recruits, graduates of the United are under the ban, and Health Commis-

sloner Darlington says New Yorkers may eat the city's supply without fear. The new law requires that every person who sells oysters in that city shall have a buy their stock and the location of the bods. Such permits are revocable on proof that a dealer is selling "drinked" oysters, as the oystermen call them—that is, oysiers that have been "fattened" in polluted waters. Mr. Darlington said all leading oyster dealers are heartily cooperating with the health department offi-cials in enforcing the new law. The New York State oyster is a recognized natrician and is sought eagerly. Blue points, Rockaways, East rivers, etc., are shipped to all parts of the United States

KILLS GIRL AND HIMSELF.

Dora Heimer Shot Dead by Lewis Turner After Quarrel. In a fit of jenlousy caused by his fiancee accepting the attentions of an-other man, Lewis Turner, 27 years old, wealthy and one of the best known young men in La Grange, Ill., shot and instantly killed Dorn Helmer, 24 years old, promi nent socially, in the Chicago suburb. Then he turned the weapon upon himself and fired a bullet into his own brain. He fell on the body of his stain sweetheart, and, taking her in his arms, died while impressing a farewell kiss on her lips, The couple, according to their friends, had been sweethearts for more than a year and were engaged to be married. Recently they quarreled, it is said, because the girl went to the Whenton horse show with another young man of the village. Village gossips made the affair a topic of conversation and this only widened breach between the young woman and her fiance. Monday they met unexpectedly and after a bitter alterention Turner drew a revolver from his pocket and shot the girl through the heart. Then he fired into his own brain.

CALLS SOCIETY BOY CRIMINAL

Says Millionaire's Son Ad-

mits Holding Up Fifteen Men. Charles Boyle, a former student of Stanford university, son of Henry Boyle, a millionaire property holder of Seattle and Oakland, and a member of a family conspicuous in the most exclusive society circles of San Haphael, Cal., is alleged to have made confession of a number of crimes committed in Marion county last spring. According to Sheriff Taylor, who questioned young Boyle in jail at Salinas, the prisoner admitted that he had held up fifteen men in the National hotel bar at San Raphael and seriously wounded a constable; that he had attacked a young woman with a club and pursued another and was guilty of other offenses which for a time terrified a quiet community. The sheriff is at a loss to supply a motive for the young man's supposed participa-tion in the crimes.

PLOT TO KILL KING FOILED.

Police Prevent Attempt on Life of Alfonso of Spain.

Details of a carefully paid plan to as-assinate King Alfonso of Spain when e passed through Biarrits on his way to Paris came to light with the arrest of the chief plotters. The anarchists had timed every move of the King, and had arranged to explode several bombs under the railway conch occupied by his majesty upon his arrival. When the anarchists were arrested a number of infernal machines containing enough explosive to destroy a dozen trains were found and con fiscated. The anarchists were capture through the close surveillance kept by the French secret police on strangers and sus-picious persons. The whole plot was dis-covered and the police acted promptly, arresting five men, declared to be among the most dangerous anarchists in Europe

Roast to Death Before Crowd. Slowly roasting to death under tons of red-hot bricks in plain view of their comrades, who were unable to assist them, E. W. Drake, Sr., and Clarence Bailey kiln of the Kenmare Brick and Coal Company burst. Drake, manager of the plant, was burned up to his arms in the red-hot pile. Bailey, 17 years old, was completely

Fire Loss In \$40,000,000. Prof. Filbert Roth, State forester, who has just returned to Ann Arbor from the fire districts of northern Michigan, said that 1,000,000 acres of timber had been burned. He estimated the loss on standing timber alone at \$10,000,000 and said additional losses on merchantable timber, country residences and crops would run losses above \$40,000,000.

Nervo Admits Killing. Walter Ledbetter, a negro tramp, wa arrested by Sheriff Bowden at the settle nent of Marietta, Fla., and confessed there Saturday. A speedy trial is now being arranged for the negro,

Bleachers Collapse; 25 Hart. Twenty-five persons were injured or the Roanoke, Va., fair grounds when the blenchers collapsed with more than a thousand men, women and children. Twenty thousand spectators were on the ground at the time and a panic prevailed.

Incana Mother Kills Hes Child. Mrs. John Dalton, living three miles south of Elkhart, became insane and choked her baby to death. There was no one at the house at the time except Mrs. Dalton and the child.

killed in an explosion in the factory of the Ideal Comb Company in Cambridge, Mass. The plant was burned at a loss of \$25,000 Change in Chinese Ministers. Wu Ting Fang, Chinese minister at

One Dead, Seven Hurt in Blast.

Seven men were injured and a boy was

Men-Yew, who has left Pekin. Gov. Haskell Resigns Gov. Haskell of Oklahoma has tenlered his resignation as treasurer of th Democratic national committee.

Washington, is to be replaced by Chung-

Boothlack Robbed by Strangers George Nicholson, a bootblack, reported to the police in Springfield, Mass., that two strangers had robbed him of \$3.825.

FOREST FIRE RAVAGES BRING HOME LESSON

May Be Instrumental in Merging Efforts Toward More Adequate Protection of Timber.

GREATEST LOSS SINCE 1871.

Work of Investigating Damage L Begun by Yederal Government Agent B. W. Pullman.

The recent disastrous forest fires probably the most scrious in a quarter of a century, may be instrumental in concentrating national, state and private forces to provide more adequate protection against flames which exact an average annual toll of \$25,000,000

Not since the Peshtigo fire of 1871 when between 1,200 and 1,500 persons perished and many millions of dollars of property was wiped out in a few hours, has the devastation of the finmer been so great as this year, when from coast the great forest areas of the North have been the constant arena of the struggle against this dreaded enemy of the forest frontier.

Accurate returns of the property loss has not yet been received in Washing ton, but the work of investigation has been begun. R. W. Pullman, special agent of the United States forest service, in passing through Chicago on his way to the burnt regions of Minnesota, told of the prolonged and thus far los ing fight which is being waged to prevent the wholesale destruction which yearly impoverishes whole regions. Loss Now More Complemens.

"Now that the timber of the country is being reduced by lumbering," said Mr. Pullman, "and people have awakened to the fact that the forests do not represent an inexhaustible supply, the loss that is sustained in these becomes the more conspicuous. It is not alone the lumber owner that pays the price. The loss of stumpage value is but a small part of the damage to a neighborhood.

"The wages that would have been earned by laborers in the lumber camps and the produce that would have been purchased to supply those camps, the taxes that would have been devoted to the construction of roads and other improvements, and the fertility of the soil that is destroyed, all' bring the ultimate cost of these fires to sums that cannot be calculated.

"From reports thus far received, the fires of this summer have been the most destructive since those of 1871. The Peshtigo fire of October of that year covered an area of 2,000 square miles in Wisconsin, entailing heavy loss of life and property. Other fires in Michigan that year consumed \$10,000,000 in standing timber.

"One of the earliest was the great Miramichi fire of 1825, starting sixty miles above Newcastle, N. B., on the Miramichi River, shortly after noon. Before 10 o'clock at night it was twenty miles below Newcastle, in nine hours destroying a belt eighty miles long and twenty-five miles wide. In an area of 2,500,000 acres every living thing was destroyed.

"One of the most serious fires of recent years was that which started near Hinckley, Minn., in September, 1904 While the area covered was less than in some others, the loss of life was heavy. Six towns were destroyed, 500 people perished and 2,000 were left destitute. It was said that this destruction was wholly unnecessary. For many days before a high wind came and drove it into aucontrollable fury t had been burning slowly close to Hinckley and coull have been out out

"The initial cause of such widespread destruction can be traced to two agencles, the railroad and the campers. Both are careless. In many timber countries the roads are required to fit their locomotives with spark arresters. If this law were more fully obeyed the danger from this source would be reduced. The camper's culmbility is more direct. A few buckets of water poured over the remains of a camp fire will effectively prevent trouble.

Forest Rangers an Economy. "The economy of employing forest rangers to keep constant watch, to prethe influence of their presence on those who frequent the voods and to report blazes as soon as they start, when they can easily be extinguished, is becoming understood renerally.

"It is not unlikely that there will be more extensive co-operation between all the parties interested, the owners of the property and the State and national governments, as a result of the serious configurations of this year. The results of supervision in the national forests has been demonstrated, where osses, in spite of the dry season, have been exceedingly small."

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES

Mrs. Harry Pearson, aged 21, according to her statement before she died, was lured to a lonely spot in Oklahoma City, Okla., by Harry Parker, aged 28, a grain inspector from Iola, Kan., who shot her

The twelfth annual meeting of the Interstate Association of Live Stock Sanitary Boards, meeting in Washington, voted to ask Secretary Wilson to life the quarantine regulation for preventing spread of Texas or "tick" fever am cattle in several Southern States.

Not realizing their danger, ninety in sane persons in the Long Island home at Amityville, L. I., fought against being removed from the burning building, but all were finally rescued.

The War Department has given permission for United States troops to partici-pate in the fall carnival of the Knights of Ak-Sar-Ben at Omaha, Neb., for the first time since the order was founded fourteen years ago,

A resolution condemning the sale liquor in drug stores, except for medicinal purposes, was passed by the American Pharmaceutical Association in session at Hot Springs, Ark.

OUR GREAT AMERICAN OROPS.

The great American crop is combig in. Here's what the United States does:

Annually produces more corn than all other countries of the world combined-2,027,000,000 out of 3,888,000,000 bushels.

Annually produces more wheat than any other country in the world-634,000,000 out of 3,106,000,000 bushels.

Annually exports more wheat flour than all the other countries in the world combined-15,000,000 out of 20,000,000 barrels. Annually exports more wheat, including wheat flour, than any other coun-

try in the world—148,000,000 out of 046,000,000 bushels. Annually produces more oats than any other country in the world-754,-000,000 out of 3,582,000,000 bushels.

Is the third largest producer of barley in the world, 153,000,000 bushels only 7,000,000 bushels less than Germany, with Russia leading.

Annually produces more cotton than all the other countries of the world -13,000,000 out of 20,000,000 bales.

Annually produces more tobacco than any other country in the world-600,000,000 out of 2,201,000,000 pounds.

Annually produces more flaxseed than any other country in the world-25.000.000 out of 87.000.000 hushels. Annually produces more hops than any other country in the world—57, 000,000 out of 211,000,000 pounds.

Annually exports more ollcake and ollcake meal than any other country in the world-2,063,000,000 out of 4,013,000,000 pounds.

Annually exports more rosin than all the other countries of the world-717,000,000 out of 804,000,000 pounds.

Annually exports more spirits of turpentine than all the other countries of the world—10,000,000 out of 24,000,000 gallons.

CHOLERA GRIPS ST. PETERSBURG Great Alarm in Bussian Capital Over Spread of the Disease.

St. Petersburg is in the grasp of the Asiatic cholern, which already has ex-ceeded in severity and the numbers of victim the visitation of 1803. The lisease is increasing daily at an alarming rate and unless the authorities show in the future a much greater degree of ability to cope with the situation than they have in the past there is every reason to fear that it will ge out of hand.

The situation, which always has been serious since the first case was reported, has assumed a graver aspect from the appearance of a virulent type of the disease, in two cases of which death followed within fifteen minutes

of the first symptoms. Germany has become alarmed over the sprend of the disease, and the German authorities have taken precaution to prevent its crossing the frontier. Austria has done the same thing: Sweden and other near-by countries have declared a quarantine against Russia and France is ready to meet any exigencies that may arise.

The civil commission, summered in special session by Governor General Smith in the Philippines to deal with the epidemic of cholera, decided to order 200 members of the constabulary into Manila to assist the health inspectors in their campaign against the

Noiseless Maxim Gun Tested. That the device for rendering the discharge of firearms practically silent, the invention of which by Hiram Percy Max-im was recently announced, will do what be claimed for it was demonstrated be-fore a committee of United States army officers at Springfield, Mass., recently. Both in the armory and in the open field the tests were satisfactory. First, one of the soldiers fired a regular army rife, and the report was heard above the dia of the machinery in the factory. Then Maxim adjusted the device to that same gun and the firing was not audible 150 feet away, and was only like the snapping of the fingers from points nearer the position of the shooter. What the officers heard at 150 feet was not the explosion, but the striking of the hammer. Neither smoke nor fire was visible at the nuzzle of the gun as shot after shot was ridges, a charge capable of hurling a bullet over 1,500 yards with fatal results.

Social Reconstruction

the leading article for the current Atlantic Monthly, John Martin reviews er against workmen innocent of any unthe abandonment of the laissez-faire pollawful or criminal net."
icy in America in recent years and the Candidate Kern, in a new feeling of public responsibility. The lier's, refers to the prevailing popular noidea which prevailed not long ago was tion that the office of Vice President has that everything American was about perfect. Now every one is finding some fault, or, and says that the occupant of that or and the necessity for social reconstruction of any public office should be "direct, is apparent. Various associations like the open, obvious and known to all men." He Civic Federation, associations for health, believes that the Vice President should against child labor, immigration, etc., and speak frankly upon pending legislation executive interference in industrial wars just as any member of the cabinet may, are mentoned to, show the trend. While At the same time he holds that, as the not accepting any particular brand of socialiam. Mr. Martin thinks that the agita tion of these social questions is healthy. It means that order and peace must take the place of the fierce commercial warfare

Farman's Views of Aeroplanes. Henrix Farman, the French aviator, who has just arrived at New York with his prize winning flying machine for the purpose of giving an exhibition flight, in a published interview mys that it will take another decade to perfect the flying machine for practical and safe use. Half the solution of the problem rested on the perfection of a motor which would give greater power without increasing the weight. The other half lies in developing a machine with an automatic balancing levice. In his opinion a machine of the monoplane type will be the successful flyer of the future. He does not believe that any flying machine will ever rival the railroads for commercial work. Mrs. Farman, who is with him, expects to be passenger in one of his flights.

Living for years within a distance ess than 100 miles from each other, father and two daughters have just bee reunited. The daughters supposed the father dead and the father knew nothing regarding his children's whereabouts. The are Mrs. Charles Kunon children are Mrs. Charles Kunow and Miss Ruby Petersen of Marietta, Minn. The father is Charles Petersen of Es therville, Iowa. The latter sent his pho-tograph to his father. The grandfather at once notified his grandchildren of their father's wherenbouts, and the reunion of father and children speedily followed.

'I Young, Charles Kemp and Henry C Shuette are dead as a result of the care-lessness of Mary Arthur, a 10-year-old nurse at the county hespital in Sam Diego, Cal. A. Paisler is not expected to live, and Captain A. Paulsen, B. Tisler, George King and Mr. Peny are ser ously ill. All were taken sick one after noon and evidence of polson was so grea that an investigation was started, ending finally in a confession by Miss Arthur that she had neglected to throw out some water in which there was a quantity of atropine, and that her patients had got-ten hold of it for their medicine. is still in existence.



Forest fires are not periodic visitation as it has been argued by many sensible statistical almannes to prove their con-tention. Forest fires are dependent upon two things; one is the weather and the other is the white man's carelessness.

When the Indians roamed about at will hey always saw that every spark was out before they moved their camps. They guarded the woods against the chance blaze as a city man now guards his in-vestments. But the white man, whether in his own timber, or that of the govern ment, gives little thought to the dangers of fire. He does not compel railronds to take steps to prevent sparks from locomo-tives falling in dry grass. He lets the logs of his camp smoulder away though knowing that a breeze might scatter the embers. He strikes matches and throws the lighted ends away without a glance as to where they drop. When a long dry spell has taken the moisture from leaves and bark, when the grass is shriveled to whisps of tinder, then the white man's carelessness becomes a threat to property and life. It is a menace to every noble free which has taken a century or two in growing, to the farmer whose fields order the forests, to the towns built h the woods and dependent upon them fo their living.

The forest fires cease when rains come. But behind them they have left monuneuts to the criminal carelessness of men who cannot be faught anything, who will not try to learn. The Indians had much the advantage of them in intelligence.— Toledo Blade,



In the August number of the Federationist President Gompers publishes an editorial entitled "The Essence of Labor's Contention on Injunctions," which was approved by the executive council of the federation. He insists that the writ of injunction was intended to be exercised for "the protection of property rights only;" that it must never be used to cur-tail personal rights; that there must be fired straight at a target. From calcula-tions, it was estimated that the gun is 74 per cent noiseless. Forty grains of mother adequate remedy in law: that the smokeless powder were used in the cartset aside trial by jury. He argues against the injunction in labor disputes as being not based upon law, but as being a species of "judicial legislation and judicial usur nation in the interests of the money pow

Candidate Kern, in an article for Col-Vice President should be at all times the servant of the Senate, so the Presiden should be merely the servant of the peo ple, and not the master of Congress, con fining his work to the execution laws, not to the coercing of Congress or

the criticism of the courts. While resting at Hot Springs, Va., and working on his letter of acceptance, Can-didate Taft was quoted on the trust plank f the Democratic platform, which pro vides that any corporation doing 25 per cent of the business in any one commod-ity must be licensed by the federal government, but that the license shall not release the corporation from obedience Taft pointed out the advanbusiness. tages of the method proposed by the last Congress, inviting corporations to apply for federal license in return for publicity and promising immunity from ution if found not to be it trade. The Democratic plan he described as mandatory.

The phonograph as a medium for the spreading of the gospel of prolib has been adopted by the managers of the prohibition party presidential campaign. New York Prohibitionists have nomi-nated a full State ticket headed by the Rev. Dr. George E. Stockwell of Fort Plain, for Governor. Resolutions endors ing the party's platform were adopted.

1'resident Van Cleave of the National Manufacturers' Association, in American

Industries, boldly declares war upon the Democratic ticket, especially on account of the labor plank in the Denver plat-Upon his return from Europe, Nathan Straus, the wealthy New York merchant and pure milk philanthropist, announced

that he would work for the election of the Democratic ticket. William Randolph Hearst has given out the contents of a letter he addressed to the Iroquols club, of San Francisco, a democratic organization, replying to the request of the club that he tender signation as member. Mr. Hearst says in his letter that he is both pleased and surprised to receive the letter from the club -pleased that he has been asked to re-



CHICAGO.

Some irregularity is seen in the course of events, but the general trend of busi-ness is encouraging. Temporary setbacks are caused by forest fires, delayed fall plowing and postponed demand in leading lines, all due to the abnormal

The volume of payments through the banks furnishes the hest record in twelve weeks, and is considerably above that of the corresponding week of 1906, when trade was remarkably active, while the comparison with a year ago shows only a

A healthy indication is the firmer tone n money, which has caused an advance in the discount rate.

Despite increasing shipments of currency to move the crops and reserving of funds to meet heavy October settlements, bank deposits remain at the best average of the season and resources are ample for anticipated borrowing needs.

Investment has widened in choice bonds, although the new issues are restricted, and sales of local securities almost equal those at this time last year. There is also considerable money going into real estate, mostly bought for improvement purposes. The total new building work and heavy construction compares favor-ably with this time last year, and labor

finds more employment at good wages.
Absorption of building materials steadily expands, and this strengthens the
conditions in lumber, structural steel, wood work and quarrying, shipments hav-ing increased and prices being firmly up-

Manufacturing discloses no significant change in production. More machinery and hands, however, are active and new orders come forward as well as expected in iron, brass and electric lines.

Bank clearings, \$237,615,073, are 3.7

per cent under those of the corresponding week in 1907. Failures reported in the Chicago district number 28, against 34 last week and 16 a year ago. Those with linbilities over \$5,000 number 7, against 9 last week and 3 in 1907.—Dun's Review of Trade.

NEW YORK.

While events generally tend toward steady if slow improvement, conservatism still rules purchasing in wholesale and jobbing lines, and at several large centers fall trade, notably in dry goods, has reached and passed its maximum. Taken as a whole, trade, though in a few instances equal to a year ago at this date, is still generally below the normal, and the approach of the election has a tendency to discourage all but absolutely necessary purchase

Western trade advices are good as a whole, though house trade is on the wanc and traveling salesmen are relied upon to take care of reorder business. There is very general agreement that stocks are small in retailers' hands, and color to this is given by the many orders given for immediate shipment, which throws unusual burdens in turn upon lobbers. wholesalers and manufacturers.

Business failures in the United States

for the week ending Sept. 24 number 207. against 266 last week, 166 in the like week of 1907, 165 in 1900, 185 in 1905 and 179 in 1904. Failures in Canada for the week number 32, against 25 last week and 36 in the like week of 1907.—Bradstreet's Commercial Report.



Chicago-Cattle, common to prime \$1.00 to \$7.60; hogs, prime heavy, \$4.00 to \$7.45; sheep, fair to choice, \$3.00 to \$2.35; wheat, No. 2, \$1.01 to \$1.02; to \$4.30; wheat, No. 2, \$1.01 to \$1.02; corn, No. 2, 70c to 80c; oats, standard, 47c to 48c; rye, No. 2, 75c to 70c; hay, timothy, \$8.00 to \$12.00; prairie, \$8.00 to \$11.00; butter, choice creamery, 19c to 24c; eggs, fresh, 10c to 23c; potatoes, per bushel, 58c to 60c.

Indianapolis—Cattle, shipping, \$3.00 to \$7.00; hogs, good to choice heavy, \$3.50 to \$7.55; sheep, common to prime. \$2.50 to \$3.75; wheat, No. 2, 98c to \$1.00; corn, No. 2 white, 78c to 79c; onts, No. 2 white, 50c to 51c. St. Louis —Cattle, \$4.50 to \$7.40 : hos

\$4.00 to \$7.45; sheep, \$3.00 to \$4.15; wheat, No. 2, \$1.04 to \$1.05; corn, No. 2, 70c to 77c; oats, No. 2, 47c to 48c; rye, No. 2, 77e to 79e. Cincinnati—Cattle, \$4.00 to hogs, \$4.00 to \$7.55; sheep, \$3.00 to \$3.05; whent, No. 2, \$1.04 to \$1.05; corn, No. 2 mixed, 81c to \$2c; oats, No. 2 mixed, 50c to 51c; rye, No. 2, 78c to 70c Detroit—Cattle, \$4.00 to \$4.50; hogs.

\$4.00 to \$6.00; sheep, \$2.50 to \$3.50; whent, No. 2, 89c to \$1.01; corn, No. 3 yellow, 81c to 82c; onts. No. 3 white, 50c to 51c; rye. No. 2, 73c to 75c. Milwaukee—Wheat, No. 2 northern, \$1.04 to \$1.07; corn. No. 3, 77c to 78c;

oats, standard, 40c to 50c; ryc, No. 1, 75c to 70c; barley, No. 1, 05c to 66c; pork, mess, \$14.05. New York—Cattle, \$4.00 to \$0.30; hors, \$3.50 to \$7.20; sheep, \$3.00 to \$4.00; wheat, No. 2 red, \$1.07 to \$1.00; corn. No. 2, 84c to 80c; oats, natural white, 53c to 55c; butter, creamery, 21c

to 25c; eggs, western, 19c to 23c.
Toledo—Wheat, No. 2 mixed, 19c to 81.00; corn, No. 2 mixed, 78c to 79c; onts, No. 2 mixed, 48c to 49c; ryc. No. 2. 75c to 77c; clover seed. October, \$5.70.

Buffalo-Cattle, choice shipping steers, \$4.00 to \$0.50; hors, fair to choice, \$4.00 to \$7.70; sheep, common so good mixed, \$4.00 to \$4.75; lambs, fair to choice, \$5.00 to \$6.30.

Price of Rogs Pat Up.

For the first time in nine years the crice of hogs rose even with that of entle in the Chicago stock yards last Monday, the figure being 7 cents or thereabouts. Scarcity of live stock and the high price of corn is given as the cause of the rise. The price of pork, lard and tallow have gone up at the same time.

Sven Hedin Out of Tibet.

Recent dispatches from Simla, India, brought to the western world news that the noted explorer. Sven Hedin, had es caped from the interior of the so-called forbidden land of Tibet, after a journey of 4,000 miles, extending over a period of of their mines, exceeding their period of two years. This was his third explora-tion of that strange country. His path lay over the untrol section of the lofty ulateau in Western Tibet, 2,000 feet high er than Mont Blanc, and word received last January told of the loss of his entire equipment except the maps and, note-broks. Many new lakes and gold fields were located, also rivers and mountains.

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MILLS FIANCER AND SELF.

Alpean Young Man Carries Out De liberate Plans to End Lives. Enraged because his fiances, Miss Nors him, George Bradbury, the 10-yearson of Mr. and Mrs. L. O. Bradbury, shot and instantly killed the girl on a lonely road two miles from Alpens, and then killed himself. Young Bradbury then killed hisself. Young Braduity had evidently planned the murder several hours ahead, for he purchased the revolv-er two days before. On the fatal evening he rented a horse and buggy from a local livery stable, saying that he was going to drive; about the city for a couple of hours. Instead of doing this, however, he invited Miss Priest to go driving. The couple left the rig at a lonely point on a road leading to Loog lake and sat for some time on the grass near the roadway. It was here that the triggedy took place. Bradbury probably argued with the girl to change her mind and marry him, and she probably refused. At length, angered at her obstinacy, he drew the revolver from his pocket and fired. From the dead girl's wounds it appears that she had a minute's worning of her inturiated lover's intentions. Her right hand was thrown up as if to ward off a blow, and was pierced by the first bullet. bullet passed through the young woman's head. A second shot pierced her heart. Either would have been fatal. Bradbury shot himself through the heart and died instantly.

INBANE MAN SHOOTS TWO.

Wounds Sister and Father When

Enraged by Failure to Obtain \$50.

A posse is searching for James C.
Waffle, 38 years old, of Detroit, while his sister, Mrs. Noel Gilmore of Holland. said to be dying and their father, L. Waffle, 82 years old, has a painfu bullet wound in the shoulder as the re sult of a shooting that occurred at the Gilmore residence. One bullet lodged in Mrs. Gilmore's spine and another passed through her kidneys. Waffle, who has been said to be mentally unbalanced, is alleged to have begun the shooting when his father refused to give him \$50, and Mrs. Gilmore was shot when she rushed forward to save her father. Waffle came from Detroit at the invitation of his ier to visit at the home of the Gil-

GIRL SUES FATHER TO WED.

Asks \$10,000 Damages from Paren

for Hindering Marriage.

Ivey Kast, aged 16, has begun a suit in the Circuit Court in Detroit, claiming \$10,000 damages against her father, Gustavus Kast, and his friend, Dr. O. O. Osborn, because they interfered with her plans to get married. Ralph H. Miller acts as the girl's next friend in the legal edings, and he explains that Ive and his brother Earl are in love and all ready to be married if Mr. Kast will cease from interfering with her matrimo nial project. He says the father and the doctor are keeping the young people apart and admits that the object of the suit is not so much money as it is to put an end to opposition and burry along the wed

BRADLEY SEEKS RECOUNT.

Board of Canvassers Met with Peti tion by Unsuccessful Candidate.

At a meeting of the State canvassing board in Lausing to canvass the vote cast at the recent primary for the nomination of candidates for Governor and Lieuten-ant Governor, Dr. J. B. Bradley, who was unsuccessful in his campaign against Gov. F. N. Warner for the Republican gubernatorial nomination, filed a petition asking for a recount in specified precincts in Sanilac, Huron, Lapeer, Alger, Menominee and Marquette counties. In all of these precincts the Governor received a heavy majority of the votes cast. Later in the afternoon Governor Warner responded with an application for a recount in several of the cities where Dr. Bradley received large majorities.

CHILD BURNED TO DEATH.

Houghton Tot Suffers Terrible Agon;

for Hours Following Accident. Her little body literally cooked to a crisp, Emerence Croze, aged 3, died in Houghton after a night of terrible agony result of her clothing catching fir while playing near a bonfire within sight of her home. The little one stepped over a pile of burning paper and in an in-stant her clothing was a mass of flames. Mrs. Rock Crighon rushed to her assistance and was badly burned in her endeavor to save the child. The child's mother is on a sick bed and has not been told of the death, as it is feared the shock might kill her.

GLADWIN MERCHANT PAILS.

George L. Casement Files Volum-Petition in Bankrupter. George L. Casement, grocery an voluntary petition in bankruptcy in the United States Court in Bay City, schooling Habilities at \$7,330.03 and net assets about \$3,550. The principal creditor is the George A. Allerton company of Sagi-naw, which has \$0,289 due it.

Three Banks Close.

Banking Commissioner Zimmerman has closed the Furmers and Merchants' State bank of Parma, as a result of an impair ent of the capital stock and confusi ment of the capital stock and control of assets with private ventures of Cash of assets with private ventures of Cash. ier W. H. Burletson. The books show deposits of \$05,328 and easets of \$112,806. The bank was organized in April, 1907, with a capital of \$20,000. Cashler Burletson is also interested in banks at Han over and Pittsford, which also have closed to await developments.

Woman Kills Son and Seif. While mentally deranged Mrs. Ellins Daws, wife of a prominent business man at Negaunce, caused the death of her 7-year-old son and herself by administering poison. She formerly lived at Edgerton Wis.

Miner's Herrible Find

After the skip had been runnling over it for four hours the body of August Baggiore, aged 22, was found at the forty-first level of No. I shaft at the old Oscools mine at Calumet. The remains were horribly mutitated. He was a cousin of village treasurer of Laurium.

STRANGLISS SON; HANGS HERSELF

Commits Shocking Louble Crime.

When Undertaker Elias Dawe returned to his home in Negative for dinner the other day he was confronted by a shocking sight. His 6-year-old hoy was on the floor dead, while in the garret he found the lifeless body of his wife hauging from the rafter by a clothesine. The boy apparently had been strangled to death with a white necktie. Dr. Sheldon, who was called, thinks an attempt was made polson the boy before the necktie was used. It is presumed the mother was temporarily insene and, while in that irresponsible condition, took the boy's life as well as her own. She had been acting queerly for some time.

MINOR STATE ITEMS.

Charles Hobercamp mistook his brother John for a bear while hunting in the woods near Escanaba and fatally shot

The Socialist party of Genesce county has placed a full county, legislative and senatorial ticket in the field for the elec-The Rea Motor Company of Lansing

has declared a dividend of 5 per cent for all its employes of one year or more. about 700 men. Wilbur N. Brown, a recluse, was found

dead in his shanty on the bank of Grand river, south of Lansing. Paralysis was the cause of death. James S. Gilmore, only surviving mem

ber of the firm of Gilmore Brothers, dry goods merchants, is dead in Kalamazoo, after a protracted illness. William T. Moore, a South Haven business man, shot himself, being despot over his ill health, he having suffered with

stomach trouble for several years. Domestic troubles led William Moore Mount Clemens laborer, 48 years old to try to end his life with paris green. He was pumped out and will recover

W. II. Burletson, cashier of the Pana Hanover and Pittsford banks, which closed recently has been arrested on the charge of falsifying the books and viola-

Despondent because his wife left him two months ago and went to her former home at Central Lake, Sidney Griffin took morphine during the night at the home of W. M. Ottley in Grand Rapids and died. William II, Munn, negd 26, who has

been employed as a stock clerk at the Detroit Club, was found murdered in the illey between Congress and Fort streets. Detroit. No motive for his murder is Lansing business men are confronted

with the proposition to raise \$1.500 to repair the model road to the Agricultural college. It is a stone road built two years ago, but automobile traffic has almost Ralph Banghart, a former inmate

the poor house at Goodells, asked for a warrant for the arrest of Albert Kelly. He alleges that Kelly assaulted him a few days ago and threatened to cut out

Angered because he was not permitted brother attended, Edward Wittske. 16 years old, son of a farmer near Merrill to his room and hanged himself. The body was found by the father after

John N. Wood, about 50 years old, left his home and family in Owosso without announcing his intention, and his wife has not heard from him since. He had acting strangely before he disappeared and it is feared he has become ientally unbalanced.

The Kalamazoo city council has voted to interest every commercial, labor and raternal organization in one big celebration during the second week of April next year, continuing throughout the week, ir emoration of the twenty-fifth anniversary of Kalamazoo as a city.

Miss Josephine Woods of West Branch has been appointed school commissioner of Ogeman county to fill the vacancy caused by the retirement of Benjamin Bennett. She is a graduate of Albion college and mas taught in the West Branch high school the last two years.

Roy Armstrong and George McCauley, onvicted of breaking and entering the depot of the D. & M. railway at Au Sable on July 28, were sentenced by Judge Con-nie to serve not less than one year nor more than five years in Jackson State prison, with a recommendation that they serve two years.

Failing in two previous attempts at suicide, Gustav Farhnow, a farm laborer. success of his third try body was found hanging from a big limb in the top of a tree in Allandale town-ship, after he had been missed from home two weeks. He had had domestic troubles and is believed to have been dement ed. A widow and three children survive

Application has been made in the Probate Court in Port Huron to send Mrs 65 years old, to the insane Ann Culey, 65 years old, to the insane asylum. The aged woman, according to the petition, believes that her children are lost and she will arise at night and search throughout the bouse for them, with s burning newspaper in her hand. Although imagines that some one is about to steal them.

While alone in the house, Mrs. Wark Bugbee, wife of an Orangeville farmer, placed the mussle of a shotgun over her heart, pressed the trigger with a stick and shot herself. She had been despondent for some time over ill health. An older sister killed herself several years ago for the same reason. Mrs. Bugbee vas 40 years old and the daughter of Mi-Doster, a prominent pioneer of Prairieville.

Because she did not know she violated the law when she married Noble Cumnings after her husband, Frank Johnson, was sentenced to Jackson prison, Mrs. Johnson was let off by Judge Knappen n the Circuit Court in Kalamazoo with sixty day sentence in the county Jail.

Adopted twice within two months has been the experience of the 10-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Simmons of Port Huron. July 22 the little girl was adopted by Ransom Simmons and the other day the child was again adopted, this time by Mr. and Mrs. George B.

At St. Clair, in a fit of despondency, Herman Zaetsch jumped into the St. Clair river intent on drowning. The water evidently was too cold and he came to himself and awam to shore, Afterwards he attempted to cut his throat. His condition is serious and it is believed his mind is unbelanced.

The body of Edward Morton, a Laings burg man, arrived in Owosso the other day from Chicago, where he met a violent death. Morton was doing some electrical wiring in a new building when an fron rod fell from an upper story, striking strom him upon the head and killing him. He length was about 25 years old and unmarried.

GREAT TURMON IN

Three-Cornered Controversy Which Has Aroused Intense Interest Throughout the Nation.

FORAKER AND HASKELL OUT.

Summary of the Charges and Coun ter Charges Which Have Been Made by Eminent Men.

Chicago correspondence

The controversy between the Presi dent, Mr. Bryan and Gov. Haskell has attained such absorbing violence, and has opened up so many questions having no real relevance to the national issue, that the average man perhaps feels somewhat bewildered as he wades through the reams of language which the newspapers print because of the eminence of the persons who use it. The following summary has been made for the convenience of readers who may wish to know what the present uprour from Washington even unto Oklahoma and back, is all about:

1. W. R. Hearst of the Independence party charged that Senator Foraker had news into his corral for keeps. been corruptly influenced in politics and legislation by money paid him by the see how Mr. Bryan used to stand in Standard Oil Company, citing as proof certain letters which are said to have een obtained from that company's office

2. Senator Foraker explained that \$50,-000 alleged to have been paid him with corrupt motives had not, in fact, been paid to him at all, but was a loan through of Washington, Oregon and California him to a man who wanted to buy a leading Ohio newspaper, and that these negotiations having failed, the money was returned to the lenders. With respect to other sums referred to in the Standard There is nothing to Oil letters Senator Foraker was less spe-Oil letters Senator Forager was less specific, giving the general impression that they were fees for services as legal counties they were fees for services as legal counties. Pucific coast has undergone no shattering convulsions in political opinion. lected to the Senate and which, he said. Landstides have been infrequent and ceased before the Standard Oil Company the carithquake, though it scarred the was attacked by the White House and the fair face of nature into streaks and Department of Justice. With that explanation, which many regard as somewhat inadequate, Senator Foraker withdrew from participation in the national

campaign.
3. Thereupon the President entered the controversy and endeavored to show that if some Republicans were wicked some Democrats were wickeder. He identified the "one Haskell," whom it had been alleged had made attempts to bribe Frank . Monnett, one time Attorney General of Ohio, with Gov. C. N. Haskell of Oklahoma, treasurer of the Democratic

4. Thereupon Mr. Bryan challenged the President to produce proofs that Mr. Haskell had anything whatever to do with the attempts to corrupt Monnett or that Mr. Haskell's Ohio record was in

ny way impeachable. 5. Then the President came back, discussing at length the alleged malfeasance of Mr. Haskell in connection with an Oklahoma ramification of the Standard Oil Company, in the matter of an Oklahome child labor bill, and with rest the management of the Oklahoma State university.

6. Simultaneously Gov. Haskell issued a manifesto asking how the domestic affairs of Oklahoma became a national oncern, and showing, as he says, that the favor he was said to have extended to the oil company was simply a recognition of vested rights conferred upon it by the Secretary of the Interior before Oklahoma was a State.

7. Next came Gov. Haskell's resignation as treasurer of the Democratic na-tional committee. In his letter of resignation Gov. Haskell denied the charge made against him, but said he resigned in order that nothing should be permitted to cloud the real issues in the cam-paign and because he desired Mr. Bryan's election. He declared he would subject election. He declared he would subject both President Roosevelt and Mr. Hearst to the "penalties of the law."



The Hamline university football team has established a training camp at conia. Twenty men are in training there

"I have rowed my last race and next ear I will not defend the title I won ack from Harry Bennett." This is the statement made by national champion amateur sculler, Frank Greer.

Melisande, a 2-year-old chestnut fills owned by James R. Keene, smashed all previous records for the five and a half furloug course at the Empire City track by running that distance in 1:00 2-5.

At Amsterdam, Holland, a race between the American entry. The winning dory, overed the five miles in 52 minutes and 10 seconds.

At Melbourne "Tommy" Burns, the American heavyweight pugilist, defeated "Bill" Lang of Australia in the sixth round. Lang was outgenerated by Burns in the infighting and after the first two rounds the American had it all his own

John Loell, captain of the Escanaba baseball team, one of the leading con tenders for the Upper Michigan cham has accepted the position of athletic director at the Northwestern Military Academy at Highland Park, Chicago, the coming year.

At Sheepshead Bay, James R. Keene's entries ran one, two, in the great Filly stakes, six furlongs, when the Puturity winner Maskette won, with \ Bells second and Lady Belford Maskette displayed a wonderful turn of speed. She carried top weight, 127 pored. ounds, and, after being outrum to the bend, took the lead and won,

Half Sovereign, owned by A. Relmon won the Ocean handleap at Sheepshead Bay. The filly stepped the mile in the fast time of 1:383-5. Big Chief, closing strong under a drive, was second, half a length behind the filly. Restigouche was

THE POLITICAL ARENA POLITICAL : COMMENT

The Saugulue Mack.

to betray any signs of hopelessness. He There are plenty of men who are ready is carrying around the very best quality to go on the stump because they have of optimism which the size of the con-principles which they wish to advocate, tributions to the campaign fund will With their aid the national committee warrant him in purchasing. Every interviewer finds him more cheerful than all that is necessary in the way of conhe was the day before. If he continues to wreathe himself in smiles of a constantly increasing diameter there will have to be some anatomical readjustents very shortly.

Mr. Mack received some reports from the Pacific coast the other day which sent him into the seventh heaven of elation. They were so stimulating that be immediately decided upon a trip to the coast and sent word to Mr. Bryan that the Republicans in devising the Dingley he would be expected to clinch things with a series of rear-platform speeches. The vice presidential nominee is booked to deliver a number of his illuminating addresses out there, and Senator Gore, of Oklahoma, is going to give a few jump-and-holler talks. The Hon. Mr. Mack dearly loves a roseate rumor, but he believes in works as well as faith and so starts out to bring the good

In 1890, he carried the State of Washington. He lost Oregon. He obtained one electoral vote in nine in California Four years later the returns showed that McKinley had carried the States Mr. Bryan, it will appear, fell some dis tunce in the estimation of the Pacific coast between the periods of free silver

There is nothing to indicate a change seams, failed to play hob with a predominating preference for Republican principles.

It is joy to see Mr. Mack looking happy. He is a pleasant gentleman, but one with some years of experience in the ups and downs of the world. His intimute friends feel confident he will be smilling on November the Fourth, though inwardly wishing he had been able to elect Mr. Bryan President.

The Poor Farmer

Mr. William J. Bryan and his staff of weeping Jereminhs are bathing the nation's soil with tears over the unhappy lot of the farmer.

We have made previous references to the absurdity of this lachrymose spectacle. We shall take special delight in if goods come into the United States doing so frequently throughout the campaigu.

the United States in 1880 was \$12,180,-000,000: Last year-1007—the total the present high rate of wages.—Buf-value was \$23,077,000,000. falo News.

During the same period the value of farm products increased from \$2,212,-000,000 to \$7,412,000,000.

In 1880 the value of farm property per capita was \$1.597. Last year it During the same period the per cap-

ita value of farm products increased from \$186 to \$618. The Republican party has been in

power in all branches of government except during the two administrations of Grover Cleveland—the first of which it controlled the House, and the second he Democrats being in full control. And the farmer has been increasing in prosperity all the while.

If there is one lown farmer who feels that Mr. Bryan's sympathy is justified, there are a dozen who know it to be large proportion of reflected light from ridiculous. The Iowa farmer is the most ndependent individual on earth-Moines Capital.

Explains Itself. Said Mr. Bryan in his speech on the

tariff: "How will Mr. Taft explain to the average man the benefits of protec-

Why, bless your heart! Mr. Bryan. he doesn't have to explain. Mr. Taft has only to point to the difference in wages paid in this country and in England, for instance.

Why do laborers from about everywhere come to this country if not to better their condition?

Under the protective tariff wage have been kept up. During the "tariff reform" days of the Democratic party under President Cleveland wages went o smash-where there were any wages at all, for the "average man" remen bers quite clearly that the principal industry of those trying times was the

free soup house. The advocate of a tariff based upon the fundamental principle of protection noints to results and needs to make no explanation. It is the other fellowthe one who advocates the free trade idea or a tariff for revenue only-who must do the explaining.—Philadelphia Inquirer.

Farewell to the Spellbinder. Mr. Cortelyou's campaign manage nent in 1904 did away entirely with the barnstorming variety of "spellbind

er." We are inclined to think that the popular taste has outgrown this method of campaigning, and that more neonle are to be reached through a pic torial presentation of the issues and personalities of a canvass—through cartoons, epigrams and moving picture shows. These have crowded the "spell-binder" out of his occupation, and a wise committee will look for them, per haps, for quicker and better results. So far, however, as there remains a field for the minor orator it would be better for the speaker and the audience that the relation between them be not taluted with professionalism. An orator speaking solely because of conviction married on that day.

can reach his auditors more easily and Mr. Norman Mack, national chairman is likely to do far better work than a of the Democratic party, doesn't intend "spellbinder" talking chiefly for pay. principles which they wish to advocate. of either party can probably accomplish

ducting a speaking campaign.-New

York Tribune.

How to Answer Bryan.
There is only one effective way to meet Mr. Bryan on the tariff question, and that is to show up the beneficent effects of the protective system from its incention down to the present hour. To declare boldly that the only purpose of schedules is to correct any inequalities that may exist, and that the aim is to make the successor of the Dingley law as thoroughly protective in principle as its predecessor. If any other course shall be pursued, Mr. Bryan will have a distinct advantage; for if the princi-ple of protection is not correct, or in its application has been grossly abused then it follows as a matter of course that the Republican party is not the

party to be trusted to deal with the

matter of revision, for if the Repub-

Hean party is not the party of protec

tion it is nothing at all.—Cedar Itapids

Republicus. Reduced to a Revenue Davis. With the tariff reduced to "a revenue basis," in accordance with the Demo program, the entire country cratic would suffer from the pulsy of idleness, and the farmer would find himself minns the best market in the world. because the great army of wage earn ers would be unable to buy his products. The elimination of the protection tive principle would spell ruin for the industrial life of the nation. Reducing the turiff to a revenue basis would mean idle workshops in the United States and increased activity in the in-

The people will do well to study this phase of the campaign closely. If they do they will see that the Republican tariff policy is the correct policy for this nation, and that the Democratic policy is a policy of disaster.—Scrau-

dustrial centers of Europe.

Refuted by Experience.

The workingman is sure of his high scale of wages under protection, and he is not such a fool as to exchange a certainty for a mere Bryan promise of the same scale under free trade on a perlence of every nation that has tried it in modern times. That theory is that

What Makes the Sky Blue?

The sky has long been a puzzle to blue tint, and the idea was that sevas it is in the air, would have a bright blue color. But this did not account for the intense illumination of the sky, and of recent years Tyndall's "dust theory," or some modification of it, has been generally accepted. This regards the blue color as an ontical effect, like the color of very thin smoke, due to excessively fine particles floating in the nir, which would also account for the therefrom is a trespasser. Recent calculations by Prop Spring, of Liege, Belgium, however, insufficient in amount, nor finely enough divided, to support this explanation, and he rejects it for this and other reasons. He has gone back to the old-oxygen theory, and accounts for the general illumination of the sky on the hypothesis, first advanced by Hagenbach, that intermingled layers of differ ent destiny, in the atmosphere give it the power of reflecting light.-Success Magazine.

The Power of a Voice

When you live in hotels a great deal as have I more or less this summer you realise the power of the human voice to soothe, or quite the opposite. Oh, what a lot of harsh, disagreeable voices there are in this world—women' voices, too! The pity of it!

The other morning I was on the beach at the bathing hour when I heard someone call "Tommy!" in discordant tones that set my nerves a-tingle with their acid sharnness. The child so called frowned and answered back in a peevish way.

I turned, expecting to see some un couth nurse maid, and to my surprise I beheld the extremely elegant mother of the little boy.

Now, that woman's husband is always irritable and peevish, just like the boy, and who shall say her voice is not responsible for it?

One of the worst-tempered men I know married a woman with a sweet, low voice and an even disposition. He is now completely changed. You know you simply can't quarrel all by yourself when everything is peaceful and soothing all around you. It seems to me if more women realized this there would be more happy homes.-Kate

Natural Deduction. Peckem-I can't understand why se

nany people look upon Friday as the unlucklest day of the week. Mrs. Peckem-Why, do you consider

Pecken ... It must be. Few people get

THE LAW OF TRESPASSING.

lwner's Rights on Private Property Supreme in Almost All Cases. One who owns or rents a parcel of land has the right of exclusive pos sion and any usurpation of that right, even the slightest, is a trespass. but place one foot over the line, if I fell a tree so that it fall on my neighbor's land, whether it he intentionally or not, or if I allow my rain spout to discharge water over the line, I am a

trespasser. Common as is the practice of picking berries on the land of nobody knows or cares whom, the picker is a tres-passer and is liable for the value of the berries, and, what is less generally realized, if the picker sells the berries the purchaser is liable for their value to the owner of the land, no matter how innocent he may be.

Hunting is no more privileged than berry picking. The general acquies cence of city people in wandering indiscriminately over country people's land establishes no law, and if farmers allow it without complaint, it is rather a waiver of their right to sue for tres pass, than a license to misuse their property. The farmer may still sue, and if several persons be in the party. each is responsible for the whole damage An owner or occupant always has a

remedy in a suit at law for a wrongful trespass, and when the case come within the above statutes, he may have the offender arrested, tried and sentenced. He has another remedy in some cases. If he catches the offender in the act or at any time before the offender gains what in law is possession of land, he may expel him by But in such cases care must be taken to use only so much force as is ecessary. If the offender resists, the farmer may call help, bind him hands feet, and carry him off his farm, but the law will in no instance countenance any attempt to punish him. Similarly boys may be driven from an orchard, but if the farmer gives them a licking to teach them not to come again, he lays himself liable to a serious criminal charge,

Any consent to an entry by the owner is a license and makes it no wrong, whether the consent be express or implied. An express consent is of course limited strictly to the purposes for which it was given. It need not be in writing; it may be oral. It is personal, that is, one who is given the right cannot pass it to another, and it is reroked by the sale of the land by the licenser.

Intercourse between men is so extensive and so necessary that a land owner, by implication, is held to have consented that others come to him for purposes of business, courtesy, information, etc. In such cases, if the comer demean himself properly and

does no damage he is not a trespusser. In a few cases one is given a license to enter on another's land by the law, For instance, a fireman may enter on A's land in his endeavors to put out a theory that has been refuted by the ex. fire on B's. If it seems necessary he may even tear down A's buildings to stop the spread of the fire, and A must take what the State awards him for from countries with a third or a half his damage. So public officers, asses-our scale of wages, and are sold at cut sors, sheriffs or constables have a right The total value of farm property in prices, the American factory can still to enter without penalty. If a highway go on making the same goods and pay is out of repair or is flooded with water, a traveler may pass over the adjoining private property, but he must take care to do no more damage than is necessary.

If an owner's deeds bound his land physicists. There are two mysteries to by a highway, he owns to the middle of explain about it-its reflection of light the highway and his ownership there and its color. The old view was that is as supreme as in his field, qualified the blue of the sky was due simply to only by the right of the public to make atmospheric oxygen. Oxygen has a faint use of it as a highway. Therefore the blue tint, and the idea was that sev-herbage growing there is his and any-eral miles of the gas, even when diluted one cutting it and carrying it away is liable for its value. Cattle grazing on the highway are trespassers and their owners are liable, unless by law the cattle are permitted to roam at large. Growing trees also belong to the owner of the land, and anyone cutting them is trospasser. Land bounded by a brook similarly extends to the middle of the brook and a stranger taking ice or fish

Change in Historic Notel. The Cafe Kaiserhof in Berlin has dicate that the dust in the air is not disappeared. What that means for a section of Berlin, and not the least celebrated, can only be understood by those who have lived for years in the German capital, says the Glasgow Herald. It is a victim of the Americanization of Europe in general and Berlin in particular. The Kalserhof, the historic hotel on the Wilhelmspiatz, just opposite the foreign office and the official residence of the imperial chancellor, is being brought up to date. The Kaiserhof was—and still is—the court hotel par excellence, where the Kalser odges foreign princes and delegations who come to attend court functions.

It was there that the German government lodged the members of the Rerlin congress; in its halls Lord Benconsfield, the Marquis of Salisbury Prince Gortschakoff, Count Andrassy, Count Schouvaloff, and the other rep rescutatives of the powers drank their coffee and smoked their cigars, and probably settled more of the affairs of Europe than in the conference hall across the way. It was there that M. de Blowitz and the other members of the fourth estate of lesser importance spent their days and nights trying to worm out of the diplomatists the secrets of the deliberations in the Radelwill Palais. It was there, too, that the members of the international labor congress called by the present Kaiser were lodged.

A Great Invention. "But that umbrella looks so awfully cheap and common," said the customer The price you ask for it is preposter

"That's the beauty of that umbrella. It's really the very best quality, out it's made to appear cheap and roumon so no one will steat it."-Philadelphia Press.

How many women in town there are who are living alone. And how well they get along! And what a failure the men make when they try it.

When a man owns a building in a own, which won't rent he never domes the building: He says the old rown is dead.



Lord Tweedmouth, first lord of the British admiralty, is "in a beastly fix," The Kaiser wrote him a letter and

criticised the British naval program. It was only a personal letter and Lord Tweedmouth replied. To his horror, the next thing was the publication in the Times, England's greatest LORD TWEEDMOUTH sensational article and a bitter edito-

rial demanding that he make the Kalser's letter public. The other English newspapers followed suit, and everybody began to want to know what business it was of the Kaiser's what England did about her navy, and why he dared to write Lord Tweedmouth about it, and how it could have happened that Lord Tweedmouth forgot himself so far as to reply to such a letter, and why Lord Tweedmouth couldn't let everybody know what was in the letter.

-:-:-One of the cleverest cracksmen that ever operated in London has been ar rested in the person of John Frederick Spencer, well-

known citizen and Sunday - achool teacher. Only recently he was given prize of \$500 as izen." Had not Spencer been arrested while in the act of burgiarizing few would have believed the charges against him. He has made a complete confession. "I JOHN F. SPENCES

Was caught red-handed," he said, "so there is no use decying anything. I am the so-called 'Mr. Raffles,' to cap-ture whom the municipality employed an extra force of detectives at a cost

Victor Rosewater, editor of the Omaha Bee and member of the executive committee of the Republican naional committee, is



tins university, at VICTOR ROSEWATER Baltimore, and Columbia university. New York, taking the degree of doctor of philosophy at Columbia. Since 1805 he has been active in newspaper work, being the managing editor of the Bee from that year until the death of his father in August, 1906, when he succeeded to

editorship of the paper. -:--: Bert M. Fernald, who has been elect-

ed Governor of Maine, is a wealthy farmer and proprietor of a large can-He has a farm of 300 acres at South Poland that is one of the and lives on it because he prefers it to a city home. Born on a farm,

he has lived on

one all his life.

Mr. Fernald is 50 years old. He has served in the Leg. BERT M. FERNALD. islature and two years ago sought the Republican nomination for Governor, but was defeated.

Lady Dorothy Howard, to whom Winston Leonard Spencer Churchill, the young English statesman, is said to be engaged, is



voted to politics and has made speeches at street LADY HOWARD. corner meetings in favor of the liberal licensing bill. Her father, the earl, is a unionist and the ninth of the title, which is one of the

-:--:-Henry M. Nevius, who has been made commander-in-chief of the G. A. R., is a native of New Jersey. He was a law student with

the late R. A. Alger, when the civil war broke out. He enlisted from his state, was promoted to a commission with the Seventh Michigan cavalry. He lost an arm in front of Fort Stevens. He has been

oldest in Great Britain.

department com-mander for New HENRY M. NEVIUS Jersey twice. He has also been a judge and president of the state senate

CURRENT NEWS NOTES

A log train of a lumber sompany wrecked near Samson, Als., and three persons were killed and twenty injured.

Magistrate A. C. Marsh at Washington, Pa., discharged four boys accused of turning in false fire alarma on the co dition that their parents give them mund

dition that their parents give them mound thrashings.

In an interriew Mrs. William Aster, who recently, owing to her years, abdi-cated her position as social leader of New York. Nork, scores the so-called "society" washen, whom she brands as notoriety seekers who give entertainments that heleng in a circum tent.

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For Her Father's Sake

By Alban B. Rags

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Tick! Tick! Tick! Tick! reiterated the clock with monotonous persisten cy, reminding those present that the time for retiring was long since past, but the old farmer and his daughter stayed on, regardless of the fleeting Neither had spoken for fully 30 minutes. The man, reclining in a high-backed chair, was comforting himself with a black clay pipe, and the woman sat gazing listlessly into the fire, an open letter in her hand.
"Tis ten years to night since moth

er died." she remarked, sadly. A sud den strong gust of wind shook the door of the outhouse, making it creak mournfully as it swayed to and fro on its rusty hinges. The old man stirred uneasily in his chair, and glanced ner vously behind him.

"Yes, it's ten years to-night," he replied, with an effort to appear at ease Both again lapsed into silence. Pres ently the old man glanced across at his daughter and said:

Who did the letter come from

From William Dutton, father." "William Dutton, eh! Why, it's many a long day since you heard from him. What's he been doing with himself since he went away?"

"He wrote to tell me that he's just plied and although she tried to speak calmly and bravely, a sympathetic ear would have distinguished the sound of

unshed tears in her tremulous voice. "Married, eh," the old man remarked with a chuckle, "Well, well, the Book says it is not good that a man should be alone. He was a nice young fellow, and I trust he has found a good wom-

"So do I, father," replied his daughter, very gently. "Mary."

"Yes. father."

"It has often been a puzzle to me that you and him never made it up. always thought he was kind o' fond of you, but women's queer creatures; a fool who doesn't care a button top

The woman made no reply, but hold ing up the letter, rend it through care fully for a second time.

My Dear Mary: I've took you at your word; you said it was no use waiting, and I began to reckon it wasn't, so I married a little girl I met down here las back night after night to cold, cheerless lodgings, with never a soul to smile at a man, and I'm fond of company, you know. I tried to bear up and told my-self that I had no right to marry an-other woman; if I felt lonesome, why, you felt lonesome too, and it wasn't your fault. Then one night coming home from chapel meeting, all of a sudden I took hold of her hand and asked her to marry me. That's how it all happened. and we were married two weeks ago to day. She's a kind-hearted little thing and

can't do enough for me.

Good-bye, my dear friend. Don't think any less of me. My best respects to your father. 'Your sincere friend,

WILLIAM DUTTON,

"Yes. father."

"What did you keep him hanging on for all those years, if you didn't intend to marry him? I didn't like to say



"Yes, Father, He Was a Very Good Man, But I Couldn't Marry Him."

anything about it at the time, but now it's all past and gone, I must say you treated him shabby. He was good enough man for you, wasn't he? The woman's face twitched pain fully, and she answered in an almost inaudible whisper:

"Yes, father; he was a very good man, but I couldn't marry him, and that's all about it."

"You couldn't marry him, and, pray

"I just don't want to gay any more about it, father; he's married now, and there's the end of the whole business.'

"All right, Mary; as you please, as you please, but the day will come you won't have any one to look after you, and as you've been a kind girl with some good man before-before-The old man stopped abruptly, and glanced up timidly at his daughter.

But she didn't appear to have heard what he said, for she sat staring at the blazing log, thinking, thinking thinking of the past and of possibili ties now lost forever.

Five years ago William Dutton had come to make his last appeal to her to marry bim. He was employed on the long."

overcome her conviction that to marry him would be contrary to what she fell to be her duty towards her father. 'Let him come with us," he said. "No: it would break his heart to cave the old farm; he'd never conent," she replied, sadly.

rallway and had received a good ap

pointment in Chicago, and he came either to obtain her promise to marry

Five years ago! It seemed like five

hundred. How hard he had striven to

im or to say good-by.

Then William Dutton, driven to desperation, cried angrily: "Seems to me he's a selfish old man. Parents is everlastingly talking about

the duty of children, but they mostly forget the duty of parents." "Hush, Will: he never tried to make me stay. I never even spoke to him

about it. I couldn't, you know, because I promised mother when she died that I would never leave him-"Then you have quite made up you

mind, have you?" he said in a strained

"Yes, Will; but don't speak unkind-ly to me. God knows it's hard enough to let you go without having you angry with me."

And with a sob she jaid her head on his shoulder, and he stroked her hair and spoke a few kind, gentle words of affection.

"Mary, I've been a good father to you, haven't I?"

"Yes, father, you've always been good to me," she replied, evidently surprised at this unusual remark from her father, who had exacted so much and given so little in return, but then he was a lonely old man, and never neant to be selfish and mean and unreasonable, she thought.

wonder how you'll get along without me, Mary," he continued, and his

voice shook perceptibly.
"Hush, father; you must not talk like that; you'll last for many a long

The old man chuckled to himself. "I wasn't thinking of dying, Mary,"

he replied, significantly.
"That's right, father. Why, you're a younger man than many a one half your age," she remarked, cheerfully. "Do you think so? Do you think

so, daughter?" A look of cager hope came into his eyes. "Of course I do; any one with half an eye can see that," she said, in a

ne of mild surprise.
"Mary, I've got something I want to tell you. I've been trying to make up my mind for the past six weeks, but wer knowed oulte how to do it."

"What is it, father? You are not ill, are you?" she inquired, anxiously.
"No, daughter; never felt better in

my life." "By the way, how long is it sine Harry Johnston died?" he asked.

Mary glanced up in astonishment.
"About two years ago," she said. What made you think of him, father? "I-1-I was-going-to-to tell you that I am going to marry Harry John ston's widow," he blurted out, "I just wanted to know what you thought of

"Father!" she cried, and her face lost all its healthy glow. The stood staring at him in a strange, vacant manner as though unable to realise

what he meant.
"Well! Well!" he remarked testily. "What have you got to say against it?"
"Nothing, fother. Do whatever you

think is for the best." Both remained silent for a moment The clock struck 11. The old man

got up out of his chair. "Guess it's time to so to bed," he re-"Yes, father: I reckon it's about

sleeping time," the woman answered,

Jockeys' Tricks.

A New York jockey, while packing up to go abroad to look for work, talked.
"There are tricks of two kinds in jockeying," said he, "the legitimate and the illegitimate, Use the first and you'll prosper. Use the last and it's

"Illegitimate tricks are outling you once pull a fast horse and make him lose, you are always afterwards an object of suspicion, and ten to one, if you ever pull another horse, you are done for. But getting yourself left at the post is a big and complex subject, and it is the one trick that a clever jockey can work time and again with safety.

"To cause a rival horse to swerve is an illegitimate trick that often wing your race. You cause the swerving by heel nearly touches the other horse's nose, or you make a wide slash with your whip, so that it nearly touches the other horse's eyes.

"The legitimate tricks are—but why give them away when it has taken all my life to learn them?"

A Modern Girl. Constance Smedley Writes; "There are still people who decry the modern girl, with her healthy athleticism, her varied interests, her ever-growing knowledge of the world and freer contact with humanity, as being hard and There still exists a propensity to sigh regretfully after the old-fash ioned ideals and a mild and half-hearted tendency to invoke these ideals as examples for latter-day daughters to follow. I say halfdaughters to follow. hearted' because no one would really wish to put the modern girl back in the oriental period of ignorance and seclusion when it was considered fast for girls to take railway journeys alone, 'bold' to ride bicycles, 'biue' to possess any thorough knowledge of a subject, 'masculine' to take interest in current politics, and 'unladylike'

voice or even to own any definite opin-

lames Braid Made It in 1905, But the Ground Was Frozen.

In an autobigraphical sketch at the end of his new book on golf James Braid tells of his longest drive.

"So far as I can recollect," he "it was in 1905, when playing round at Walton Heath with Mr. Riddell. The course was frostbound and the wind was at our backs whon we were playing the fifteenth hole, and I hit my tee shot a distance of 395 yards, carefully calculated after-

"Of course you can drive a ball wonderful distances, when the turf is frozen, and such a feat as this is no test of one's general capacity, but, on the other hand, it was so cold that I could scarcely grip my club, and I feel sure that if I could have held it properly I should that day have

driven very much further.
"At the eighteenth hole in the same round I drove to the bunker guarding the green, which was another drive of pearly the same length. As to what distances I have driven under normal conditions I really do not know.

"Once when I was playing a match against Harry Vardon, at Hythe, I made a carry which was generally remarked upon at the time as being something very much out of the or-dinary, but I do not remember what was the exact length of it."

KISSING DAY AT HUNGERFORD.

Curlous Old-Time Custom Which Still Prevalls in an English Village.

The little town of Hungerford was

bration of Hocktide. The property of the manor, which comprises a valuable trout fishery, has lately come within the purview of the charity commissioners, who have established a scheme for the future administration by popular trustees, but with the provise that the holdings of the manorial court, with its picturesque old world customs, should be

allowed to coptinue.

The functions began with a series of blasts on the historic horn, and then the tutti men, armed with staves, set forth on their perambulations, their duty being to demand a penny from every male householder and a kiss from each lady who crossed their path. As a rule the privilege is granted with much good humor, and

ausbands look on with equanimity. Meanwhile the Hocktide jury were sitting in solemn conclave, appointing the constable and coroner and other ancient officers whose duties are more or less obsolete.-London Standard.

Women Tougher Sex.

Although men, as they run, are, perhaps, muscularly stronger than their inability to withstand the elements and their reliance upon clothes places them considerably be low the so-called weaker sex in the matter of unclothed toughness. Want en wear clothes for ornament; men use them as a protective covering. A group of men, marconed clothesless en an island in the temperate zone, might be expected to die off in n month from drafts and colds and month from grating and colors and rheumatism. The health of women similarly placed would suffer little from exposure. The fact appears to be, therefore, that in everything but muscle—in vitality, rusgedness, chur-acter, disposition, brain power, etc. woman is the tougher, not the weaker.

Women Fishermen. On the coast of Holland, Belgium are a familiar sight, with their great hand nets and quaint costumes. Many of the towns have distinctive costumes by which their women can be recognear Ostend, wear trousers and loose blouses, while their heads and shoulders are covered by shawls. They parry their nets into the sea and scoop up wast quantities of shrimps and rawns, with an occasional crab or obster and many small fish. They often wade out till the water is up to their necks, and they remain for hours at a time in water above their knees, rarely returning until their baskets

In some countries, notably in the Russian provinces north of the Caucasus the sunflower serves other nurposes besides ornamenting gardens with its huge golden bosses. The seeds are used to make oil, which is em-ployed both in the manufacture of soap and cooking. The stems and leaves are burned and the ashes used to make potash. Last year the sunlower factories of the Caucasus duced 15 000 tone of notesh .-- Youth's Companion.

are full.

Colors and Heat.

"Some people add to the heat of the day by the clothes they wear," antheir lack of taste they make it worse for others as well as themselves. One recent hot day I saw a woman in a black dress and a red-hat. The dress was thin and the hat light, but the colors on a broiling day proved too strong for me and I was immediately driven to a soda fountain for ro covery.

The English Landlord.

In England there has been no aglfation similar to that which we have country gentleman is taught from childhood to take a more liberal view of his responsibilities than the Irish landlord.-Country Life,

ELISE'S

"I am glad." sald Mrs. Clurger. "really glad that Lon is not ing! He has such decided views. Besides, he has al-

said that when his daughter was old enough to tended to take his newspaper and stay in the room to chaperon her. I can't seem to make him see how unnatural and awk. ward he would the poor child by doing so, "Of course " she admitted, "Elise is

only 14 and it is absurd to say that Roy is a real call-er, but it's the first time a boy has ever come formally to see Elise. She asked him to her class dance and his sister phoned today that he was going to do the proper thing and call to-night. Why, I'm as nervous as I can be, mother! After

Roy gets here I'm going upstairs so Lon were here he'd embarrass the children to death. That meeting down-town was providential." When the bell rang Mrs. Clurger and her mother rose precipitately and the fully dressed-up boy of 16 who was

former welcomed the flushed and painushered in. At Elise's haughty entrance, slightly mari-d by her short shirts and a stumble over the rug, her mother hastily and mirthfully withdrew, gasping into her own mother's ear broken remarks about how funny

"It brings back memories of my own," said the elder woman, with cheerful malice. "He'll be gone by nine o'clock," mur-

mured Mrs. Clurger, as she proceeded to write some letters.

At a quarter past nine she looked

up with a start.
"Mercy!" she said. "What can they find to talk about? Lon'll be home any time now-and he loves so to tease! I wouldn't hurt Roy's feelings for the world! I think—yes, I'll drop my shoes over their heads!"

Two heavy thumps resulted in no cessation of the chatter in the library below. Mrs. Cluger began walking up and down.

"I never thought to tell Elise that he mustn't stay late," she murmured, "I thought she'd know that!"

"You always said under like circum stances," put in her mother, who was enjoying herself very much, "that you couldn't very well tell the boys to go home and that you were helpless in the situation. I fancy that Elise is

"If it wasn't for Lon!" worrled Mrs. Clurger, discreetly passing by the rem iniscences of her early life. "I can understand that Elise doesn't know what to do or how to get rid of Roy or that Roy desn't know how to make his escape—but you know how a man is! Why, Lon would just ronr with laughter if he came in at ten and found his 14-year-old daughter sitting up en-

She went out on the stair landing. "Roy," she called, sweetly, "when you go home—when you go home, I say, would you mind telling your sister that I wish she'd call me up on the

to her?" "No, ma'am, not at all," responded Roy with nervous heartiness.

The conversation in the library was "I had no idea that Elise had enough

things to talk about to fill up 15 min utes," said Mrs. Clurger, plaintively.
"I have another idea— Gracious! Was that Lon on the front norch?"

She flew to her desk telephone and, calling up the telephone exchange, asked the operator to ring the bell of the downstairs telephone. It was always Elize's task to answer that bell. For five minutes the downstairs tele phone bell sizzed and rang spasmodic Elise was playing the perfect lady to tended to by housemaids or small chil-

Mrs. Clurger was nearly in tears. What shall I do, mother?" she wailed. "Excuse me for laughing," said her doing so many times in my life, I never really saw justice overtake a sinner before. I really can't sympathize with you as I should."

catter departed. When she came upstnirs her mother grabbed her.

"I hear your father's latchkey," she alm: et hissed. "Hurry into your room and don't dare make a light to go to bed by! If he knew-" Elise flow from her mother's hands

like the wind. Mrs. Clurger draw her first long breath of relief as her husband came upstairs at a feigurely pace It was over the telephone next day that Mrs. Clurger got the rest of the "I asked Roy," gurgled Roy's sister

and he said-he said he didn't have "The idea!" exclaimed Elise's moth Then her thoughts went back to the days when she herself was a girll cherry pie would never be made to Well, maybe she did!" admitted suit all parties.

Elico's mother.-Chicago Daily News

up to talk about for three mortal hours

Raw Cherry

Wife Tries Hard to Please.

"Then make it yourself, if you know more than anyone else about it," said Mrs. Adams, coldly. Mr. Adams wagged his head sorrow

fully.
"Nobedy," he said, slowly, with an irritated eye upon his boss, "can dis-cuss anything with yon, Minhie. The moment I mention that ple you rush ahead as usual, and jump all the hurdles before you get to 'em. What I said was that a cherry ple would be-

"And because I try to please you and tell Gussle to fix one you insult me!" cried his wife. Both members of the Adams family tightened their lips and drew in their breath through distended nostrils. Gus-

sie, the cook, cannily observing these signs, withdrew hurriedly.

Mr. Adams suddenly relaxed his features and smiled wearily.
"Let the infernal ple go," he said.

Mrs. Adams sighed. "Why should it be let go?" she demanded. "For goodness' sake, what alls you? Upon my word, I cannot understand the processes of your mind, Frank. Only you can hardly know more about cooking than I do, you know. If you mean that your mother made pies with raw cherries, I have only to say that there are ples

"My maternal parent." retorted Mr Adams, "made no ples. The servant made 'em. You told Gussie to cool the cherries. Well, I may be a fool, but, by gosh! you don't cook 'em, madam. They're put in raw—raw!"

Mra. Adams smiled this time. She made it an indulgent smile that would

prickle and burn him. "All right, dearest," she said, soothingly. "Certainly they shall be

She uttered the sentence in the tone

she would employ when addressing a meeping infant or a fretful idiot. "Gussie!" she called. The cook appeared and saluted.
"Mr. Adams doean't wish cooked

cherries in his pie," she said. "He wants them raw.

Gussic bowed with dignity. 'Yessum," she answered. "She'll have that pie for dinner, Frank," said Mrs. Adams.

Watched by the eyes of the ladies of the household, Mr. Adams bastily disposed of the substantial but important portion of his dinner, and happily announced that he was ready for

He tried lt.

"Well?" queried his wife. Despite her well-put-on air of unconcern, it too evident that she did care a little about his opinion.

"You want to know my honest feel-ings?" he asked. "Well, this pie's soggy. And I tell you, Minnie, the cherries ain't right. They were cooked."

The meal was finished in a dreary In the kitchen only the smash of

crockery sounded. Gussie was angered. "I thought it was a very nice gered. ole" said Mrs. Adams, an hour later. Mr. Adams yawned,
The pigneer pie had been concocted
of raw cherries. They made another,
filling it with stewed cherries. Mr.

Adams said that probably it was the "By George, I could make a ple my self!" he ejaculated. "You fix the crust

and I'll tend to Mister Pie. You cool the fruit too long." "The crust," shouted his wife and Gussie, "that's the main part."

ly. "The charries all soak up. Now, lionest, haven't you been kidding me? These ples had cooked cherries in 'em,

"Not in our pies," said he, stubborn-

Mrs. Adams protested. "It's the oven, then," she decided "It doesn't go right."

"Get a pound of cherries, stone 'em and throw em in with some sugar," said he, authoritatively. "The pic'll come out as it should."

Two more ples did the household nake, and each time the cherries were massed in red profusion, as he had directed. When the last sample was pro-nounced unfit for consumption, Mrs. Adams went to the kitchen and con sulted with Gussia. They awaited Mr. Adams' departure, then went into a bedroom and there, giggling, they took box from a closet and began snipwhat it held.

"That's plenty," said Gussie. At dinner the cherry ple came on "These haven't been cooked so much," said Mr. Adams, cheerfully.

The pastry lattice work showed the lipe, shiny cherries beneath it. "There," said Mr. Adams. That pie's right. Gimme a big piece It was 20 minutes of 11 when Elise's I'd stake my life you've hit it, and you nught to be glad I told you. He began to eat

At the first bite his mien becam "Beo; we should have cooked 'em, reproached his wife. "You don't like

"Yes, I do," said he, flercely. One large slice was downed "I-guess that'll be enough," murmured, faintly,

"It's the way you said to make it," cried Mrs. Adams, accusingly. "And it's a blamed good ple," his manner was valiant; "hest I over had.

New York Telegraph.

But I'm tired of pie, Those cherries The government has already taken one-fourth of all the land in Oregon were bully. Where'd you get 'em?" His pale face excited no compassion and turned it into a forest reservation n Mrs. Adams, for she knew he was lying, and theirs was a home where Russia's Wheat Yield.

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